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At Home On Anniversary

Queensville—Mr. and Mrs. Silas Bennett will be at home to their friends on Saturday, Jan. 22, from 3 to 5 p.m. Saturday will be their 50th wedding anniversary.

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Icy Highway Causes 50-Car Jam

Vandort—The icy roads Saturday afternoon and evening played havoc with cars traveling on the fourth concession. Following a freezing rain over 80 cars traveling north on the 4th con. were halted in a jam on a hill just south of Vandort, stranding motorists for nearly six hours. A car rushing a young child stricken with pneumonia to York County Memorial hospital at Newmarket was held up for a number of hours but finally reached the hospital, the child none the worse for the ordeal.

It started when a car driven by Charles Turner of 3320 O'Connor Dr., Toronto, skidded into a snowbank on the side of the road. Stuck on the hill, he was unable to move his car before a car driven by Ron Craymer of George St., Toronto, went out of control on the icy road and piled into it, blocking the road. Unable to move their

cars they were forced to watch as other motorists came over the top of the hill, and either stop on the glare ice, unable to hit their cars or went into the ditch. One man, whose new 1949 car had been struck three or four times, finally threw his arms in the air saying, "let 'em all come. The more the merrier."

Meanwhile, farmers banded together in an attempt to get the cars free. Farmhouses were thrown open to the half-frozen, stranded motorists, hot drinks and food being provided. As it grew dark one farmer, Norman Heintzman, stretched an extension cord and red light from his house to the top of the hill as a warning.

Finally, the pile-up was partially removed. A tow truck from Aurora arrived, freeing a number of cars and towing the damaged ones away.

Dangerous Driving Decision Of Court

Toronto—Tuesday evening a criminal assize court jury found Leonard James Carnahan, 32, 2 Farnham Ave., Toronto, guilty of dangerous driving in the September 4 death of Mrs. Adeline Bowser, Aurora. The jury, which deliberated for three and a half hours, recommended leniency.

Carnahan, charged with motor manslaughter and dangerous driving, went on trial before Chief Justice J. C. McRuer Monday. His Lordship promised to take the jury's recommendation of leniency into consideration. Sentence will be passed January 31.

According to testimony, the Carnahan car struck the rear of a car driven by Chester Adams, Buffalo, N.Y., just inside the southern limits of Aurora. "The car which struck mine," said Mr. Adams, "was travelling at a terrific speed and struck a hydro pole on the west side of the road about 200' ahead of my car." Adams said he got out of his car and "saw the other vehicle turned upside down. A woman was lying by the road." The woman was Mrs. Bowser who had been walking home along the west side of Yonge St. and was just a few short steps from her driveway when struck.

Chief Constable Fisher Dunham testified that he found a whiskey bottle two-thirds full in the car, a number of beer bottles scattered near the car and three large cases of beer all unopened. While he found Carnahan "disturbed and confused," he said he "couldn't say if it was from liquor."

Provincial analyst, Professor Joslyn Rogers of the University of Toronto said a blood test of Carnahan taken shortly after the accident "would indicate the equivalent of eight ounces of standard liquor in the blood".

Mrs. Bowser was well known in local circles. She was the wife of John W. Bowser, famed for his construction work in Canada, Japan and the United States.

Chamber Of Commerce Membership Increased

Newmarket—The total membership of the Chamber of Commerce is 40 since the meeting at the Agricultural Board rooms on Monday night. Invitations had been sent out to all Newmarket merchants to attend the meeting.

During 1948 the Chamber of Commerce carried on with only ten members. Delbert Gibney, president, said that the new increase in membership shows that 1949 will be a better year and that the membership should increase further.

During discussions at the meeting Monday night, the question was raised as to whether there should be such an organization as the C. of C. in Newmarket. There was unanimous agreement that there should be. The date for the next meeting has been set for Tuesday, Feb. 1. There will be nominations for 1949 officers and general discussion.

COMING EVENTS

Friday, Jan. 21—Dance in the Parish hall, Kettleby, at 9 p.m. Charlie VanZant's orchestra. Admission 50c. clw3

Friday, Jan. 21—Second presentation of Canadian concert series sponsored by the Ontario Department of Education, under the auspices of the Men's Club of the Congregational-Christian church. Commences at 8 p.m. Adult admission 50c. clw3

Saturday, Jan. 22—Dance in Holland Landing Community hall. Harvey Miller's orchestra. Spot dance. Refreshments. Time 8:30 p.m. Admission 50c per person. clw3

Monday, Jan. 24—Sharon Junior Farmers' skating party for members and friends at Queensville arena. 3 to 10:30. Admission 25c. Refreshments. clw3

Tuesday, Jan. 25—Dance in Sharon hall. Harvey Miller's orchestra. Cafeteria lunch. clw3

Tuesday, Jan. 25—At 8 p.m., Home and School health meeting at St. Paul's Parish hall. Dr. W. Mosley will speak on the formation of health units. Refreshments. clw3

Wednesday, Jan. 26—Euchre in Kewick school, under the auspices of Kewick Hockey club. At 8:30 p.m. Admission 25c. clw3

Thursday, Jan. 27—Euchre in St. John's school, at 8:15 p.m. Admission 25c. Lunch and prizes. clw3

Friday, Jan. 28—Vandort dance in Vandort hall, at 8:30 p.m. Art West's orchestra. Admission 50c. clw3

Thursday, Friday, Jan. 27, 28—At 8:15 p.m. in the Town hall, the Newmarket Dramatic club will present three one-act plays, The Lover, Riders to the Sea and The Marooning of Marilla. Tickets on sale at Lane's Drug store. clw3

Friday, Jan. 28—Bingo in Queensville school, at 8:15 p.m. Admission 25c. Everybody welcome. clw3

Monday, Jan. 31—At 3 p.m., a general meeting of Newmarket Horticultural society. Guest speaker, N. J. Scott. Landscaping, pruning, planting, topic of talk. Movies, refreshments, Trinity United church Sunday-school room. clw3

Monday, Jan. 31—Special rally. Youth and the present alcoholic beverage situation, to be held in the Friends' church, Newmarket at 8 p.m. clw3

Tuesday, Feb. 1—Euchre in Newmarket Town hall, under the auspices of Group 2, Women's Institute, at 8 p.m. Admission 35c. clw3

Friday, Feb. 11—Valentine tea and bake sale, under the auspices of W.A. Trinity United church, in S.S. room, from 3 to 5:30. clw3

Friday, Feb. 11—Valentine dance and lucky draw, in Belhaven hall, under the auspices of Kewick Hockey club. Don Gilkes' orchestra. Admission 50c. Cafeteria lunch. clw3

Friday, Feb. 18—Third presentation of Canadian concert series, sponsored by the Ontario Department of Education, under the auspices of the Men's Club of the Congregational-Christian church. Commences at 8 p.m. Adult admission 50c. clw3

Friday, April 29—Bell singers sponsored by 50-50 club, in United church auditorium, Newmarket. Part of proceeds to U.E.F.B. clw3

Dancing every Saturday evening at Club 14, Millard Ave., Newmarket. To Max Boag and his orchestra. clw3

Skating in Queensville arena every Tuesday and Thursday from 8 to 10:30 p.m. Every Saturday from 8 to 11 p.m. Admission 25c. clw3

Dancing at Blue Bird Inn every Wednesday and Saturday nights at Armitage. Bill Smith's orchestra. clw3

Every Wednesday night—Dance to Norm Burling and his King's Men at Tottenham community hall. Admission 50c. clw3

Every Saturday night—At Belhaven, modern and old time dancing. Norm Burling and his King's Men. Admission 50c. clw3

Milk Price Boost Expected At Aurora

Aurora—It would appear that Aurora, like other communities, will soon be paying an extra cent per quart of milk. Interviewed Wednesday, Archie Cousins of Cousins Dairy said that the price of milk in Aurora will probably go up the first of February. It is also expected that the price of cream will rise slightly, but that of skim milk, buttermilk and milk in pint containers will remain the same. Cousins Dairy has reached an agreement with the milk producers whereby an increase amounting to 20 cents per hundredweight will be granted, the farmers receiving a flat price for all milk. All quotas are to be eliminated. This agreement only awaits the approval of the Milk Control Board.

The Aurora Dairy announced that they have not, as yet, reached any agreement with the milk producers. However, they too feel that a one-cent rise in the price of milk is not unlikely after the first of next month.

New Members Added To Rec. Commission

Rudy Renzius and Charles VanZant have been named by the town council as its representatives on the recreation commission for the coming year. Larry Bell has been added to the commission ranks as school board representative. Mrs. N. L. Mathews is the other school board representative. The new members made their initial appearance this week.

The outdoor rinks, four in number, one at the Alex. Muir, King George and Stuart Scott schools and on the parade ground at the camp have been completed through the co-operation of the town and commission and look doomed to little use because of mild weather.

Congratulations are in order to the commission for its work in putting the arena into its present condition. Without doubt the chief topic of conversation following the Metropolitan league opening game was the grand job that was being done there. Many would have liked to have seen the commissioners take a bow last Thursday for their work in this respect but a hitch developed in the plans due to the week's postponement in the opening exercises.

Artificial Ice Talked By Commission

Newmarket—Artificial ice for the Memorial Arena was the topic of a long discussion at the meeting of the recreation commission on Tuesday night.

Stan Drake of the Canadian Ice Machine Co. was present at the meeting and said that the arena was "a perfect set-up" for artificial ice. He estimated the cost at between \$30,000 and \$32,000 plus electrical installation. There has been no definite action, however, toward getting the installation in Newmarket, although there are many interested including members of council.

A week ago last night a group visited the new Collingwood arena which has artificial ice. Two members of council, Chas. VanZant and R. C. Morrison, recreation commissioners Ted Gould and J. O. Hines and Doug Campbell, D. Kuhns, Les Deazer and Aubrey Marshall attended a game at the Collingwood arena. Mayor of Collingwood, G. Kohl, C. Stewart, chairman of the Collingwood rink committee and rink manager Jack McDermott showed the Newmarket group through the arena and also the ice plant.

TO ATTEND POLICE SCHOOL
 Con. Wm. Hill, Newmarket police, and Ron Watt, Whitechurch police, will be attending police school in Toronto for six weeks starting Monday.

Resident Of Newmarket Author Of Mystery Novel

Newmarket—The recent publication of Death and Lilacs, a mystery novel, has made an author of Joanna Jansen, 35 Prospect Ave. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jansen who recently moved to Newmarket from Toronto.

Death and Lilacs has just been published in the United States and is now selling in Canada. In an interview with the Era and Express on Tuesday, Miss Jansen said that she has already half completed a second book of the mystery type but of a different class from her first book.

She wrote Death and Lilacs under the name of Fred Bayard but has not decided whether she will continue the use of a pseudonym in the future. Miss Jansen spoke of the difficulty in getting anything published in Canada unless one has first acquired a well known name in writing or publishing circles. "And that is what I am trying to do," she said.

Born in Holland, she came to Canada when she was young, lived with her parents in Montreal for a while and then Toronto. She is a graduate of the University of Toronto and a practicing lawyer in Toronto. She has an ambition to make writing her career and plans further novels and non-fiction books. She is interested in Canadian history and spoke of the excellent material that can be found in it as a basis for writing

books.

Miss Jansen's hobby is riding. "Since I was very small I have always had a great interest in horses and for a long time wanted to own a palomino," she said.



JOANNA JANSEN

ed to own a palomino," she said. She recently owned a palomino called Circle M Glow which she rode at the Winter Fair. She sold the horse and is now thinking of getting another palomino. Because of her interest in horses, she hopes that Newmarket will revive the farm fairs or at least start an annual horse show at the fair grounds.

Drama Club Presents Three One-Act Plays

Newmarket—Three one-act plays will be featured by the Newmarket Dramatic club at the town hall next Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 27 and 28.

The Lover by G. Martinez Sierra is under the direction of Barbara Hamilton. In the cast is Vi Dales, John Kudelka and Kay Kudelka. M. H. McMorro directs Riders to the Sea by John Millington Synge. The cast includes Alma Stevens, Fern Russell, Erma McLean and Jack Struthers. The third play is the Marooning of Marilla and is directed by Miss Eva Barnes. The characters are played by Evelyn Woods, Mrs. Sinclair, G. A. James and Charles VanDuzen.

The club is presenting the plays two nights only. There will be no children's night as in the past.

Health Units Topic Of Dr. W. Mosley

Newmarket—Dr. W. Mosley will be the guest speaker at the Health meeting of the Home and School Association to be held in St. Paul's Parish hall, Tuesday, Jan. 25, beginning at 8 p.m. promptly. Dr. Mosley, director of the East York Leaside Health Unit, will speak on the formation of health units.

A question and answer period will follow his talk. Deputy-Reeve J. L. Spillette, representative of the town council, will speak on health units. The meeting, in the charge of Mrs. G. L. Boynton, will close with refreshments.

VISITS HEALTH NURSE

Newmarket—Miss Sarah Oliphant of the Ontario Society for Crippled Children visited Miss Clara Kittner, public health nurse, on Monday. Miss Oliphant is in the capacity of advisor regarding crippled children. With her was Miss Norris who is training as a deaconess for missionary work. With the health nurse, they called on mothers of crippled children in Newmarket, members of the Lions club and the chairman of the public school board.

Free Skating Friday For School Children

Newmarket—Friday was skating day when for awhile, books were laid aside in favor of the gleaming blades. Children of all ages made use of the free public school skating time.

Mothers struggled with their wet enthusiasts who seemed to average one fall to each six strides. Undaunted, however, they would start off once again with similar results. Mothers' reactions varied. One reported she worked harder that afternoon than she had all week doing the house work. Another, a more hardy soul, rushed home to dig out her own skates to have sharpness in readiness for the next skating period.

The only discordant note appeared when about two dozen older boys and girls insisted on using the newly painted seats for a dressing room—leaving some deep scratches as they put on their skates. The memorial arena in its "new look" received high praise from everyone present and it is passed along to the many who have done this good work.

Miss Pearson Speaker At Business Club

Newmarket—Miss Vera Pearson, superintendent of York County hospital, paid tribute to the founders of that institution when she spoke on Monday evening before the Business and Professional Women's club. The dinner meeting, held at the King George hotel, was well attended.

Miss Pearson, a charter member of the club, told of the tremendous service the hospital renders not only to Newmarket but also to the surrounding countryside.

Miss Lulu Cleland of the Toronto club was present and extended good wishes to the Newmarket members.

Mrs. Isabelle Garrioch, program convener, outlined the planned activities of the club for the remainder of the season. Following the business meeting, court whist and bridge were enjoyed by the members. High prize in court whist went to Miss Florence Goldsmith with Mrs. J. W. Bowman receiving the bridge prize for highest score.

Road Committee Named By North Gwillimbury

The first meeting of North Gwillimbury's 1949 council was held at Belhaven on Monday, Jan. 10. The members taking office were W. A. King, reeve; L. J. Doyle, deputy-reeve; and councillors, James Clark, Clark W. Martin and Lloyd Stiles.

Rev. M. R. Brown of Keswick opened proceedings by reading from the Scriptures and offering prayer. After a brief address by the reeve and councillors, business got underway. The first matter dealt with was the passing of a new by-law for regulating procedure and order of business in council meetings. Following this the council heard deputations on various matters, including the prospect of assistance toward a small dock and better bathing facilities at the lake end of the fourth concession. One deputation suggested that a public meeting of rate-payers be called to take up the matter of a township school area and there were some complaints and advice regarding service on the lake shore road.

The usual by-laws were passed to provide for borrowing as needed from banks. A contract for care of Keswick street lights was awarded to Elmer Peters. Payment of membership fees to the Good Roads Association and the Association of Rural Municipalities was approved.

A road committee was appointed with Mr. Clark Martin as chairman and Mr. Lloyd Stiles and Reeve W. A. King, members. Considerable discussion took place regarding some conditions on the lake shore road and road matters in general. The meeting continued until a late hour and as some items of business remained unfinished it was decided a special meeting should be held on the evening of January 17 to clear these up.

Arena Ice Show Monday and Tuesday

Newmarket—The Ice Show to be held at the Memorial Arena next Monday, Tuesday, Jan. 24, 25, will feature the Maple Leaf Ice Revue. A two-hour show, it will have 50 performers including Shirley Andrews. There will be 10 acts. Stilt skating will be featured.

Officer Abandons Car Skates Three Miles

Newmarket—Only one Gray Coach route, the Parry Sound to Gravenhurst run, was set off the bus schedule as a result of the ice storm Saturday, according to John O. Hines, inspector at Newmarket. The ice on Saturday made driving and walking hazardous.

The bus driver on the Parry Sound run who was stranded from Saturday until Sunday morning, reported an incident during the storm where a Provincial Police officer at Bala used a pair of skates to answer the call of duty.

The officer started to drive to the store for some milk but his car turned around three times on the ice. He abandoned it in favor of his skates. After taking the milk home, he received a call three miles out on the highway. The intrepid officer skated the three miles to the call and back to town again.

Other buses were not held completely off schedule although many were delayed because of the storm. The longest delay on the Newmarket route was 45 minutes. There were no accidents.

Aurora—Mr. Murray Wood, Willowdale, and Beth and Alan, Aurora, left on Friday to attend the wedding of Miss Marion Birchard, eldest daughter of Mrs. Birchard and the late O. N. Birchard, Windsor, on Saturday, Jan. 15, to Mr. Earl Jones, Cleveland, Ohio.

Storm Plays Havoc With Lake Project

Newmarket—High winds and rain on Tuesday night and Wednesday morning caused a minor flood at Fairley Lake. Although the dam gate was open and has been since summer, the flow of water was too great for the outlet.

By yesterday morning, Fairley Lake appeared again for the first time since the summer and water was flowing over the dam at Water St. The water receded this morning and has left piles of ice in the channel recently excavated. It cannot be discerned how much silt filled in during the flood because the ice has piled over the area which had been dredged last summer.

Last summer, \$5,000 was spent on dredging out a channel on the lake bottom, half the cost being paid by the town and half by the Office Specialty Mfg. Co. During operations there was a straight channel dug south from the dam.

Plans have been discussed by town council for continuing the work to clean up the Fairley Lake area with the idea of using bulldozers for making a larger channel and pushing the present silt deposits to the east side.

The town has left the pond dry since last summer with the hope that the silt deposits would be dry enough next summer for further operations. Councillors, however, have expressed a fear that the excavated area might be filled in with more silt during the spring floods. At council meetings it has not been definitely stated as to what work will be done in the future.

Hold Concert Series At Christian Church

Newmarket—The second presentation of a Canadian concert series with four artists is being held at the Congregational-Christian church tomorrow night, Friday, Jan. 21. The series is sponsored by the Ontario Department of Education and is under the auspices of the Men's Club of the church.

The artists are Deane Irwin, violinist, Katharine Miner, concert pianist, Leopoldine Pichler, lyric-coloratura soprano, and Ernest Adams, baritone.

Deane Irwin, a graduate of Mount Allison University, early toured the native provinces by the sea giving some 30 concerts. He studied in Europe and has appeared in concerts in Berlin, Czechoslovakia and London. He pioneered in the concert field in eastern Canada before the war and played the first Canadian performance of the Glazunov Violin Concerto. He was in the Intelligence Corps during the war.

Ernest Adams is well known in Vancouver and radio audiences have heard him over national networks. He served in the R.C.A.F. for three and a half years. He has become one of the top stars of the Vancouver musical attraction, Theatre Under the Stars.

Leopoldine Pichler was born in Vienna, studied in New York and has been soloist with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, as well as with many other Toronto organizations. Katharine Irwin has given successful recitals throughout the province and has appeared as guest artist with the Harmony Symphony Orchestra and Toronto Men Teacher's Choir.

Another concert is planned for Friday, Feb. 18.

York Jersey Club Meets Here Tomorrow

At a meeting of the executive of the York County Jersey club held at Unionville last week it was decided to hold the annual meeting of this association in the agricultural office at Newmarket on Friday of this week, Jan. 21, commencing at 10:30 a.m. Following the presentation of reports, lunch will be served by the club at noon.

In the afternoon the new directors will be elected and an address given by A. M. Barr, association director of extension, department of agriculture, Toronto. The club has had an active year including a successful sale in which several head were sold to American breeders.

TRUMPET BAND ELECTS
Newmarket—The Newmarket Trumpet Band held a meeting on January 11 when new officers were elected. President is Howard Brown, vice-pres., Len Burling, sec.-treas., Herb Elines, and recording sec., Grant Blight.

The executive consists of F. Burling, A. Brown, A. Fletcher, B. Everest, G. Smart, D. Blair and K. Gould.

Hit By Auto On Yonge St.
Aurora—William A. Youldell, 57, of Langstaff, was seriously injured by a passing car as he stepped off a bus yesterday.

One of three men who got off the bus at Stop 20 on No. 11 Highway, Youldell failed to heed the cry of the man ahead of him. The first man crossed the road, noticed a car approaching from the opposite direction and called to Youldell, who kept right on coming.

Driver of the car, William Vennard, 21, of R. R. 1, Richmond Hill, tried to avoid hitting Youldell by swerving away, but the front fender struck the pedestrian. He was treated by a doctor on the spot and taken home.

Provincial Constable Charles D. Case, who investigated the accident, said there would be no charges.

Goodfellow Acclaimed 88th County Warden

Reeve Lorne B. Goodfellow, King twp., was acclaimed 88th warden of York County council at the inaugural meeting of the council in Toronto on Tuesday.

The following reeves and deputy-reeves were named a striking committee whose duty it is to draw up a list of committee members for the year: Verne Griffin, Markham; Hugh Griggs, Mimico; George Mitchell, North York; W. S. Morgan, Leaside; Jack Sibbald, Georgina; Clive W. Sinclair, Etobicoke; J. L. Spilllette, Newmarket.

Members of York County council are paid \$8 a day for 40 days and receive a car allowance of ten cents a mile.

Kettleby Church Association Has Contest

Kettleby—An unique funny story contest was a feature of the Ladies' Night banquet of the Laymen's Association at Christ church last Thursday night. The 200 guests also heard an address by Dr. Archer Wallace, well known editor of church publications.

The funny story contest had its origin in an earlier meeting of the association when Rev. C. E. Cragg, rector of Christ church, impressed by the quality of the jokes which enlivened proceedings, suggested that the best of them be reserved for a contest. Harry West of Bogartown was judged the best of the seven contestants by judges J. H. Knowles, principal of Aurora high school, Harold Lubbock, editor of Aurora Banner, and

John Meyer, editor of the Newmarket Era and Express.

Mr. West's story was of the minister in the southern United States who was caught in the act of embracing one of the younger and prettier members of his congregation and when reprimanded by the elders of the church, said in his defence that he was only sheltering one of the lambs of his flock. After all, this was his mission. The elders scratched their collective heads and were at loss to answer until one of the elders rose and said he thought the minister was quite right but in future, would he so concern himself with the ram lambs only.

Anson McCluskie, George West, Walter Archibald, Owen Barr, Murray Cook and Ward Cook were the other contestants, all with stories which delighted the audience as much for the style of delivery as their content. Unfortunately, the value of a good funny story lies mostly in the manner in which it is told, and the limitations of the printed word prevent reproduction of the jokes in a manner which would do justice to the tellers. Suffice to say that they were all excellent, and the judges were hard put to make their decision.

The funny story contest set the tone for the evening which was one of the merriest we have seen. Dr. Wallace, although he spoke seriously of spiritual values, was able to interject some of his favorite stories in a manner which confirms him as one of the ablest after-dinner speakers we have heard.

Two unexpected visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Flabberbottom (Frank Beatty and Jerry DeFree) gave a hilarious picture of how life is lived in the Ozark Hills. Other entertainers were Frank Lee, Aurora high school student, whose baritone voice gives promise of a bright career, and Anne Stevenson, another A.I.S. student, whose soprano was delightful. Valerie Hunter accompanied them.

The financial report of the circuit which includes Pottsville, Glenville and Snowball was read by chairman Ray Marshall. The report shows an excellent financial position. Mr. and Mrs. Cragg were recipients of many tributes from the meeting for their work in the last three years.

News of the District

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MAPLE HILL

A group from Waverly Road Baptist church took charge of the service in Maple Hill church last Sunday. A large crowd attended.

On Friday, Jan. 28, the young people will meet at Mr. Fred Knight's home. A good program is being arranged with a social hour at the end of the meeting. Several children sick with 'flu' are out of school.

Mary Leitch had another operation in Toronto General hospital last week. She is improving nicely.

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St. James W.A. Meeting Held at Sharon

Sharon — The W.A. of St. James' church, Sharon, was held at Mrs. A. Thomas' home, Wednesday, Jan. 12, with 16 members in attendance. The president, Mrs. R. Rogers, led in prayer. Mrs. F. Hall read the Scripture. Mrs. Max Newroth will read in February.

A letter of thanks and appreciation was read from Mrs. J. T. Rhodes for flowers sent her during her illness. Mrs. W. Osler reported \$17 collection at the Nativity play presented at Sharon and \$15 at Roche's Point, both sums for the building fund. Members voted \$191 of bazaar funds to the building fund, a total of approximately \$553 for this year.

Mrs. B. Phillips gave a splendid financial report and also read the report of the auditor, Mrs. L. J. Farr. Mrs. W. Wilnot gave the secretary's report for the year, which had been active and beneficial. The meeting discussed plans for a pancake social in the hall, Shrove Tuesday, March 1, details to be arranged at the February meeting.

It was resolved that members bring their used Christmas cards for use at Strachan Houses, also a shower of articles of clothing for the Save the Children Fund, which is in the charge of Mrs. W. Osler. An itinerary plan for entertaining the rector and organist on Fridays and Sundays was formulated among the members. Mrs. Fred Hall was appointed our representative on the World Day of Prayer committee. Twelve members renewed membership today. The next meeting will be at Mrs. H. Vanstone's February 9. Refreshment committee, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. E. Kitley and Mrs. W. Wilnot. Afternoon tea brought to a close a busy session.

BOYER'S ROAD

The Lakeview Farm Forum met at the home of Mrs. R. Hare on Monday evening. The topic for discussion was "In Time of Need." One of the questions asked was "How should we handle the problem of old-age pensions?" We suggested the age limit be lowered to 65, and very person over 65 to receive it regardless of financial standing. Also, it was suggested, we should have compulsory saving towards the old-age pension.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Stewart Stinson, it being review night, Monday, Jan. 24.

QUEENSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Sennett will be at home to their friends at their home in Queensville on Saturday, Jan. 22, from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 8 to 10 p.m., this being their 50th wedding anniversary.

The January meeting of the United church W.A. was held in the basement of the church. Mrs. Geo. Pearson was in the chair. Mrs. Stallibrass gave a paper on "Temperance." Mrs. E. Stickwood took charge of the devotional part of the program. Hostesses for the supper following the business meeting were Mrs. Fred Weddell, Mrs. Stanley Eves, Mrs. R. Strasser, Mrs. Harry Morton, Mrs. Art Alexander.

Native of Ballantrae, John Wright Dies

Mr. John Wright of Ballantrae died January 10, 1949, after a short illness. He was born September 13, 1868, at Ballantrae, to the late Mr. and Mrs. David Wright, one of a family of six boys and one girl. Charles, Bill, and George predeceased him.

Mr. Wright spent most of his boyhood around Ballantrae leaving for the western provinces to farm and returning again to the married Ada MacLennan of Ballantrae who predeceased him July 17, 1942.

Surviving him is a son, Mr. Don Wright of Newmarket, a daughter, Lillian (Mrs. Wm. Murray), Toronto, and two brothers, Med., of Clan William, Man., Perc. Wright of Ballantrae, and a sister, Frances.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. Henry Cotton of Trinity United church at the Chapel of Roadhouse and Rose to the Pine Orchard cemetery. Interment was in Pine Orchard cemetery. The pallbearers were Nelson Shanks, Neaf Phillips, Bruce Shanks, Arthur Sheridan, Ivan Daniels and Harry Londry, who were all members of the Newmarket "Hunting Party" of which Mr. Wright was an ardent member. Mr. Wright looked forward each year to the hunting trip to Haliburton with all his old friends. He was also a lover of old-time music which he loved to play on his violin.

The flowerbearers were David Cook, Wm. Hammond and D. Fawcett of Thornbury, and Wm. Donaldson of Newmarket. Floral tributes were from Don and Dora Wright, Bill and Lillian Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Med. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. G. Murray, Geo. and Miss Nellie Robitaille, Ivan Daniels, the Misses Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Melville Shrank, Miss Frances Wright, Mr. Perc. Wright, office staff of A. and P. Tea Co., Mr. J. W. Beebe of A. and P. Co., Ray Burns, Canadian Oil Co., Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Londry, Thornbury, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sheridan, Miss Mary Shanks, Mrs. Arlie Wright, and the Newmarket Hunting Party (Nelson and Bruce Shanks, Neaf Phillips, Ivan Daniels and Harry Londry).

SCHOMBERG

Mrs. Margaret Hague spent a few days in Toronto recently. Miss Lillian Edgar, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Edgar.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wood, Woodbridge, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood on Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Dixon spent Wednesday in Toronto.

The Junior Farmers and Junior Institute visited the Newton-Robinson branch on Thursday evening, Jan. 13.

Mrs. Robt. Wilson, Lloydtown, visited Mr. E. Aitchison and Miss Cora Aitchison on Tuesday.

Miss Lois Stonehouse, Toronto, spent the weekend at her parental home here.

Mrs. George Edwards, who has been confined to her bed, has improved and we wish her a speedy recovery.

The Lions club put on its first euchre of the season on Friday evening with 26 tables. It has been planned to hold them the second Friday in every month.

(Held over from last week) Mr. and Mrs. Fred Skinner, Port Credit, visited friends here on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Thompson, Woodbridge, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Cooper called on Mrs. James Cooper, who is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. Wray.

Miss Golda Aitchison visited Miss Mary Leonard on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Wray, who has been sick, has gone to spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wray.

The week of prayer was observed here with all the services being held in the United church and the three congregations taking part.

Mr. Carol and Dawson Aitchison spent Monday in Toronto.

Quite a number from here attended the euchre held at Lloydtown under the auspices of the community club. There were 15 tables regardless of all the entertainment going on. The prizes were won by Mrs. George Hands, Lorna Brown and Mrs. W. Aitchison, Mr. Arnold Adair, Harold Brown and Jack Jennings.

Mrs. H. Abernethy, Alliston, has taken a position at Mr. Maynard's office.

Library and Cemetery Boards Meet

Mount Albert — The Mount Albert Library board held its annual meeting on Monday afternoon. The financial report showed receipts of \$526.04 from grants, baking sale, sale of picture, card parties and donations. Its expenses were \$456.69 from buying 174 books, a new oil heater, salary of caretaker along with the many other little bills which have to be taken care of. There were 66 adult members and 25 children's tickets. The board members for 1949 are Mrs. B. Rolling, Mrs. H. Shields, Mrs. Geo. Walsh, Mrs. H. Broderick, Mrs. Reg Willbee, Mrs. B. Stiver, Mrs. B. Sinclair, Mrs. Elsie Crozier, Mrs. M. Roberts, Mrs. Rolling, pres., and Mrs. Shields, sec.-treas.

At the annual meeting of the Mount Albert Cemetery board, held on Monday, the following were appointed to the board for 1949: Jos. Harrison, W. R. Steeper, Roe Crone, G. S. Harper, D. Shillinglaw, Wilnot Bain, H. W. Theaker with pres. Jos. Harrison; sec.-treas., W. R. Steeper.

Thirty-nine ladies attended the W.I. at the home of Mrs. E. Davis on Thursday with Pres. Mrs. Macpherson in the chair. Secretary Mrs. A. Harrison, in a financial report, said the ladies had \$137.44 on hand after many donations, among which was \$30 for Boxes for Britain and \$10 for a sanitarium fund. The W.I. will sponsor moving pictures in the hall on Saturday, Jan. 22, by the National Film Board and asks all members to attend.

A committee was chosen to prepare the Tweedsmuir Village History which will be in the form of a scrap book to record and keep all historical facts of the village. Mrs. H. Harman is convener assisted by Miss Leek, Mrs. A. Harrison, Mrs. Sinclair and Mrs. Steeper. The ladies also voted to purchase the book "50 Years of Achievement", a history of the W.I. since the beginning which will be placed in the public library. The committee on recreation reported that they would like to take up crafts and dancing for children and have a permanent swimming pool established along with many other forms of recreation. A fine program was given by the convener, Mrs. H. Brown and Mrs. H. Broderick. Instrumental music was by Mrs. W. Couper and two juniors, Betty Rolling and Jackie Macpherson; soloist, Mrs. D. Stiver.

A splendid paper on training a child was given by Mrs. H. Broderick saying parents should co-operate not leave it to one to do it; parents should set the example for their children to follow and take their children to Sunday-school, not send them alone. She said that we will have a better world when parents aim to have a better home life. Mrs. H. Harman answered questions on child problems and many took part in the discussion which followed. This was one of the best meetings of the year. Remember, Blue Cross dues must be paid in January.

The Women's Institute will hold a short course on "Understanding the Teen-ager". The first meeting will be Thursday, Feb. 3, at Mrs. B. Sinclair's; February 10 at Mrs. Bruce Rolling's; February 17 at Mrs. G. W. E. Macpherson's. The time is 1.30 p.m. to 4 p.m. There will be a small fee.

The icy weather last week caused many falls while none were serious, some people were rather bruised up. Mr. Robt. Davis has an injured shoulder. Mr. Tom Moorhead tore ligaments in his side.

Mrs. Doug McIntyre and John have been visiting relatives near St. Catharines.

Miss Etta Stokes, Toronto, was home with her mother, Mrs. W. D. Stokes, for the weekend.

Mrs. Howard Toole is in Well-lesley hospital, Toronto, for observation and treatment.

Mr. Herbert Hall, who was taken to Toronto General hospital with a broken hip, is improving.

A meeting of the ratepayers was held Friday evening in the continuation school with a full house. The topic was the school building which has been taken into the Newmarket-Sutton high school district. There was a discussion on what terms the school section would be able to get it for a public school.

Mr. Jos. Harrison, chairman, had obtained figures in regard to having a third room which would be needed. A science room in the basement could be changed for a class room for \$1,100 or a new addition added for \$2,300, according to Mr. Harrison. The latter was out of the question at least for years to come. After much discussion it was decided to wait and see on what terms the building could be secured from the district board before any decision could be made as to which building they would use. Another meeting will be called by the trustees when more information is obtained.

VANDORF

(Held over from last week) Mr. and Mrs. Thomas I. Beck, Locust Hill, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. White.

Mr. Kenneth Switzer, Longlac, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Switzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Johnston and family, Claremont, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Irwin.

Miss Marguerite Quickfall, Toronto, spent the weekend with Miss Ruth Oliver.

Last Rites Held For Eliza Risebrough

Eliza Risebrough, Mount Albert, died January 12 after an illness of one year. She was born in Whitcomb December 14, 1853, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pollard. In 1877 she married George Hutchinson who predeceased her in 1890. She married Matthew Risebrough in 1897 and they lived in Scott township until 25 years ago. Her husband predeceased her 23 years ago. She was associated with Mount Albert United church, and her chief interest was in her home.

Surviving are her daughter, Mary (Mrs. John Risebrough), Thomas Hutchinson, Mount Albert, Robert, Uxbridge, and George, Stouffville. Also surviving are three granddaughters, Minnie and Elsie Risebrough, Mount Albert, Mrs. Albert Jelley, Orillia, one great-grandson, George Jelley, Orillia, and a number of nieces and nephews.

The funeral service was held in Mount Albert United church with Rev. C. P. Shaper in charge of the service. Interment was in Hartman cemetery. Pallbearers were Wm. Slorach, Jas. Slorach, Robt. Harrison, Arnold Harrison, Wilfred Dike and Wilnot Bain.

SNOWBALL

We are pleased to report a successful euchre sponsored by the Snowball W.I. held on Jan. 11. The basket of groceries was won by Mrs. Cal. Davis. Euchre prizes were as follows: ladies' first, Mrs. Davis, Aurora; second, Mrs. West, Kettleby; consolation, Miss Marie Morning, Snowball; men's first, Mr. Edgar Black; second, Mr. Percy Corby, both of Kettleby; and consolation, Mrs. E. M. Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haines called on Mr. and Mrs. Art Evans and family Friday evening.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Doug Harrison on the birth of their daughter, and to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Farren who have a new son.

Mr. Bert Gould spent the weekend at Glenville, a guest of Mr. Don. Cutting.

The Snowball W.I. will meet at the home of Mrs. Williams on Wednesday, Jan. 26. The roll-call will be "Name a federal or provincial cabinet minister and his department. There will be a Canadian book review, authors, books, and illustrations by the citizenship committee and music on the program. Hostesses will be Miss Webb, Mrs. Gould and Mrs. E. Copson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCarrall, Newton-Robinson, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould and family on Sunday.

The W.M.S. and W.A. met at the church Wednesday and presented the reports for the past year. Miss Hazel Webb presided for the W.M.S. Mrs. C. White and Mrs. Calvin Mitchell were appointed delegates to attend the convention in Toronto on Jan. 25.

Mrs. Cliff Copson presided over the W.A. and Mrs. Cragg conducted the devotion. Mr. Cragg was chairman for the election of officers for the W.M.S. Officers are: pres., Miss Hazel Webb; vice-pres., Mrs. Wm. Storey; correspondent, and stranger sec., Mrs. Farren; Missionary Monthly, Mrs. H. Patrick; christian stewardship, Mrs. Gould.

W.A. pres. is Mrs. C. Copson; vice-pres., Mrs. Gould; sec., Mrs. H. Patrick; treas., Miss Hazel Webb; flower com., Mrs. Frank Hollingshead and Mrs. Ridley; devotions, Mrs. Wm. Davidson; music com., Mrs. Owen Barr and Mrs. W. Farren, Sr.; parsonage com., Mrs. C. White, Miss Hazel Webb. The congregational supper will be held at the church Jan. 23. All the community is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teasdale and daughter, Jane, Welland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Teasdale, for the weekend.

Mrs. Cliff Copson received news that her mother, Mrs. Billings, had passed away. Mrs. Copson left immediately for Manitoba to be with her father who is ill. The sympathy of the community is extended to the Copson family.

ZION

Church service will be at 11 o'clock this Sunday morning. Rev. Yates will be in charge. Sunday-school is at 10 o'clock every Sunday. Prayer meeting is held in the church every Wednesday at 8 p.m.

A quilting was held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. King in aid of the W.M.S.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Swanson attended a funeral at Shelbourne Wednesday, Jan. 12.

Mrs. W. Morris is staying at Mrs. Swanson's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McCallum visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Swanson on Sunday.

On Sunday, Jan. 9, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell and Ailsa left for London, Ont., to stay till the middle of March.

We are pleased to see Albert Newman back at school. He received a head injury during the Christmas holidays which required three stitches. Albert stays with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Milton.

The first time gas was used for street lighting was 140 years ago; the place, London.

Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

Pottageville — A happy occasion was celebrated on Tuesday, Jan. 11, when Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blackburn celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Allen Ellerby, and Mr. Ellerby, Weston. Mrs. Blackburn wore a corsage of yellow roses and heather and was presented with a lovely bouquet of yellow roses and 'mums. Some 15 relatives sat down to a delightful dinner. There were four generations present. The table was decorated with yellow roses and 'mums, a two-storey wedding cake was cut by the couple. After dinner some 40 friends called and extended best wishes to the couple and presented them with lovely gifts and money. Refreshments were served, including a piece of wedding cake. Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn have been lifelong residents of Pottageville and district and all wish them the best of everything.

A recent election of officers of the district of King L.O.L. was held at Nobleton and Geo. T. West, Northview L.O.L. 415, was elected district master and Harold Rose, Nobleton, was elected deputy-master. County master Harry Gould conducted the election.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. West, Barabara and Hilda, Messrs. Raymond and Harold Funnell, Miss Ann Grillon, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dove and Marion spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Cook.

The Baptist Mission Circle held its January meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hamilton last Thursday. There were some 35 guests and members present. A turkey dinner was served by the hostess and was greatly enjoyed by all. The ladies quilted, finishing the quilt during the day.

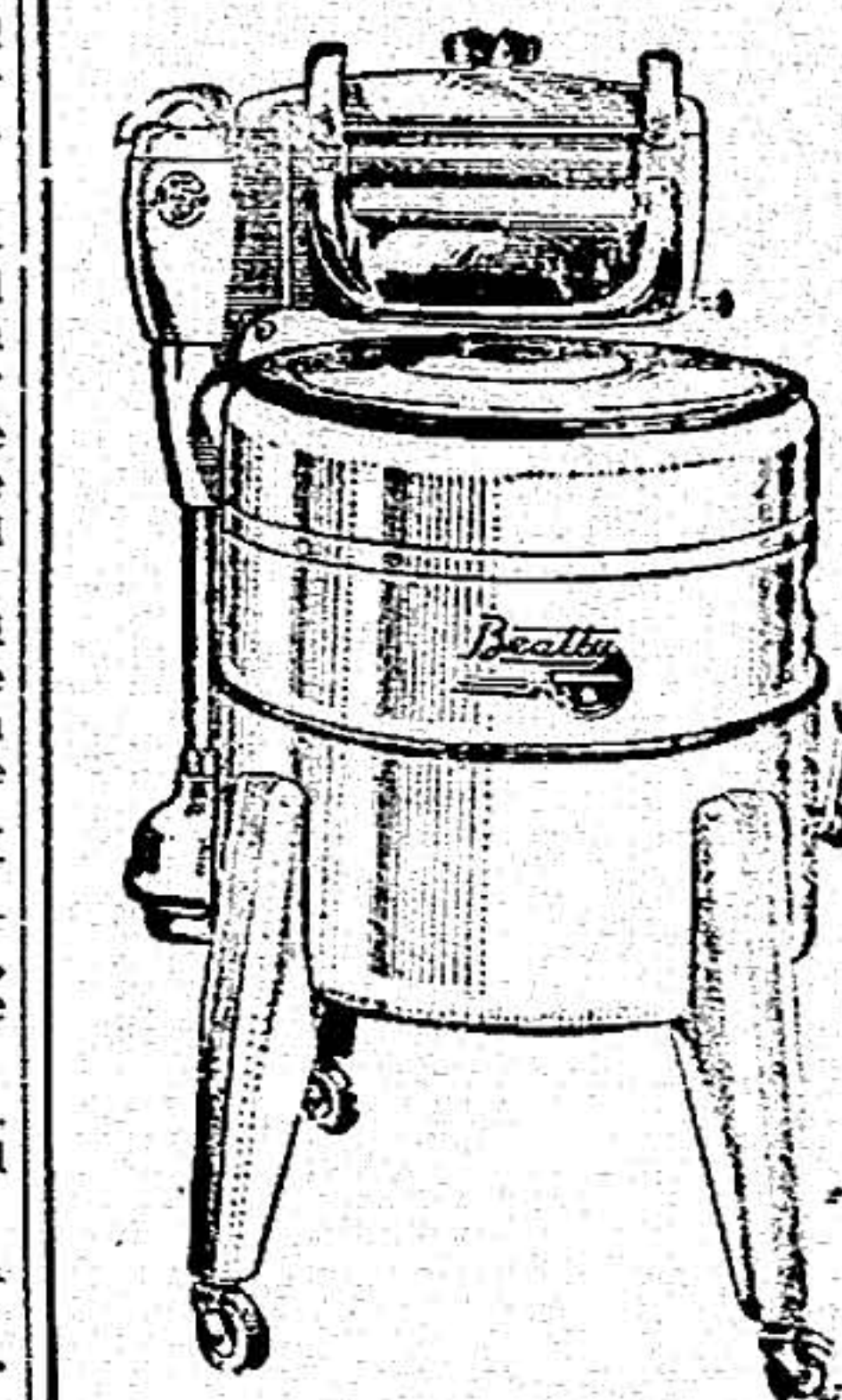
We are sorry to report Mrs. Cutting is ill and hope she will be feeling better shortly.

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Except for its pedestal, the Sta- tue of Liberty was a gift from France to the USA.

The Common Round...

By Isabel Inglis Colville

PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE

I'm not trying to conjugate any verbs although my title looks like it. It is not tenses, but tenses. I'm thinking about the tense period we have just passed through, the present just as tense and the future, as always, a reflection of both.

Our world of today seems to have no place on it for relaxa- tion. We live on a treadmill— part of it of our own creation, part of it a result of world con- ditions. We worry about our work or lack of it, we worry about crime and juvenile delin- quency, we worry about the sorrow and war and privations of other peoples in other lands —even, it seems to me, take our pleasures and hobbies too seriously and worry about them.

But amid this, there is a star that outshines all other stars—a guiding star, a radiant star, the Star of Bethlehem, and where it shines there is always hope. When we look back over the past year, we see, amid the wreckage of many of the hopes we had cherished for a safer and saner world, the wreckage

as well of many of the resolu- tions each one of us so bravely and I fear, rather optimistically made last year.

I often wonder, when we find it so hard to keep our own small resolutions, how we can hope that nations will stick flaw- lessly to their treaties and resolu- tions.

I suppose if we, as citizens of those nations, were absolutely true to every good resolution we made, the nations would be so rock firm in their standards that they could not be shaken.

So we, being free, go on making resolutions as each New Year's Day comes round and perhaps the very fact that we make them and keep even a few of them, helps build our moral stamina. My resolutions are pretty much the same from year to year and maybe the very fact that though, year after year, I fail to keep them even partially, it remains true that they are always worth the ef- fort.

One's moral and spiritual bookkeeping at the end of the

year is always a sad affair—there is too much on the wrong side of the ledger. But if, each year, we can add a few to the right side, it is encouraging. New Year's Eve is a two-way mirror—it shows us, sometimes, all too clearly the past and gives us the present. But New Year's Day is a door. Through it, we catch faint glimpses of future opportunities—quiet paths of pleasantness and peace where we do the things we love to do and thorny thickets where lurk the duties that may help to strengthen our characters, but do not add to our bliss.

It's a wonderful land—the fu- ture, that we glimpse through New Year's door—we may have neglected so many little kind- nesses that stretched out asking hands, maybe passed by oppor- tunities for soul growth, but no matter what may have been the failure of the past, no matter how dark the present—we have the future—it is ours to make or mar.

When God gave us free will He gave us a terrible thing—it almost makes us shudder at the responsibility it entails but He also gave us a Gift on Christ- mas Day—the Gift of a Friend who can stretch out a hand to help when one fears those res- ponsibilities. So, in spite of a chaotic world and personal wob- bly resolutions, one can still wish one's friends Happy New Year!

Scott Council Holds First Meeting

On Monday, Jan. 10, the mem- bers elect of the Scott twp. coun- cil met at the twp. hall. After the several members subscribed to their declarations of office, Rev. Bamford addressed the council. He read from a portion of Matthew's Gospel, chapter 24, and gave a short prayer. He spoke of the great advancement which has been made in democ- ratic government in the British Empire. This was followed by a few remarks from the several members and officials when the council was considered inaugura- ted.

Communications were read from Ford Lapp school attend- ance reports for November and December, 1948, from Brunner- Mond Co. regarding calcium chloride for 1949, from Mr. H. Harrison, tax collector, in refer- ence to salary, from several de- clarations in municipal supplies with new year calendars and services, from the Ontario Rural Munici- pal Association and Good Roads Association advising dates of con- vention (February 21 and 23 in- clusive), and from the Hospital for Sick Children soliciting a grant.

Hydro contracts of D. L. Noble, Bruce Harrison, Ivan B. Law and Willis Harrison were accepted. Road Superintendent Johnson presented report of total expendi- ture on roads in 1948 amounting to \$33,819.73, of which \$5,000 had been borrowed from the bank to finance purchase of a maintainer. Fifteen tons of cal- cium chloride will be purchased.

Council meetings will be held the first Saturday in each month at 1 p.m. in the future. A by-law was passed appointing the following officers: school attend- ance officer, Ford Lapp, salary \$30; member board of health, Wm. Cook; sanitary inspector, Harvey Shier; secretary board of health, W. O. Webster, \$10; weed inspector, Howard Blanchard, \$25; caretaker, town hall, J. I. Blanchard, \$25; caretaker, Zephyr street lights, Albert Hockley, \$20; a by-law was also passed appropriating \$30,000 to be expended on the twp. high- ways in 1949.

Accounts passed were for Bert Pearson, \$10, killing of wolf, bounty; hydro electric, \$4.05; lighting twp. hall; John Gal- braith, \$3.60, bulbs; Zephyr street lights; Wm. Spence, \$14, differ- ence in sheep injured by dogs; Dr. Macpherson, \$5, medicines for indigent; pay roll No. 1, \$269.37, labor on roads, Eastern Steel Products, \$56.16, repairs snow plow; Card's Garage, \$65.54, repairs; Stouffville motors, \$62.63, repairs and labor; Lloyd Prof- it, \$145.05, wiring twp. store house; Rodman's Welding, \$51.45, mounting plow and repairs; Mc- Coll Frontenac, \$8.15, 45 gallons gasoline; Canadian Oil Co., \$41.09, 227 gallons fuel oil; dept. highways, \$29.92, tax on fuel oil; W. J. Walkom, \$71.39, gasoline oils; Wm. Hackner, \$5, truck; Ross Johnson, \$115, salary; twp. Georgina, \$38.70, settlement townline expenses; Gordon Ry- nard, \$19, towing snow plow; H. Dike & Sons, \$56.10, lumber. Council adjourned to meet on Saturday, Feb. 5.

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It is with deep regret that I have to record the passing in November last of Mr. Richard J. Cullen, who was elected a director in October, 1945.

I wish to announce that Mr. J. Lyman Trumbull, C.B.E., of Van- couver, has consented to join our Board and his name is being submitted at this meeting for election.

We have had an acquaintance with Mr. Trumbull extending over many years. His wide experience of business will be of decided advantage to us, and we are confident that he will be a highly desirable addition to the Board. In this land of peace and plenty, we Canadians are reminded constantly that although countries have been brought closer together in time and space, the world still is far from happy in its international relations. The struggle for power and influence con- tinues to a degree that harks early hope of trade on a normal genuinely prosperous scale. Fortunately the United Nations Organization continues as a nucleus from which remedies or corrections may be applied to the political and economic ills of the world.

fundamentals—to watch credits and avoid accumulation of excess inven- tories. Once prices or volume begin to fall appreciably, with a much higher break-even level than formerly, net profits can drop very rapidly and even disappear. Efficiency in all phases of operation must be the watchword.

Export Trade

The future of Canada's export trade, which up to now has been supporting approximately 30 per cent of our people, bristles with complex problems. Its impetus at the moment stems chiefly from our own gifts, credits and loans, and from the generosity of our good neighbour to the south—which condition can not continue indefinitely. A change in the pattern of our trade appears to be imminent.

Agriculture

Canada was blessed with excellent crops in 1948, the prairie provinces alone producing a high quality wheat yield of 300 million bushels. The occupation of farming, with its close contact with nature, supplies elements in our mental and physical life which the nation can ill afford to jeopardize. We depend upon it for much that we use at home and for an important part of our exports. Canadian farms may play a major part in history at some future date, if world-population continues to increase at its present startling rate.

Industrial Partnership

The time when it was believed that the interests of capital and labour were inevitably opposed, happily is passing.

Home Industry

Here at home, industry has been operating at an exceptionally high level during the three postwar years, and has filled much of the demand which accumulated in the war period. Obviously, each year and each month brings us nearer to a state of balance between demand and supply. Peak production still prevails in some industries—notably steel, automobile, construction, base metals and news- print—but in others there is an under- current of softness, and more adjust- ments are likely to occur as we go along. Goods have come into ample supply in an increasing number of lines and consumer resistance to goods that are highly priced or of inferior quality is evident. Order backlogs are melting and more competitive con- ditions are returning. Defence stockpiles provide a useful outlet for industry but a must be remembered that much of this is specialized production. The construction industry, with its radiat- ing effect on so many associated lines, has been one of the mainstays of the postwar boom, but with the completion or near-completion of many expansion programmes, this important industry may show signs of a slowing up before we commence another year.

Return to Competition

Whether inflation is levelling off, or deflation is under way, is indis- cernible at the moment. In any event we are at a stage of life which calls for a business technique quite different to that of the war period. Then there was no consideration for control of expense, nor incentive for efficiency of operation. Now it is the part of prudence for business executives to mend their fences and get back to

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Profits

Despite a sharp increase in operating expenses, we again report satisfactory earnings. After full provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts, Depreciation on Premises and Equipment, the usual contribution to the Pension Fund, and provision for Government Taxes, the net amount available for shareholders was \$1,190,820, an increase over last year of \$3,058. In addition to payment of dividends during the year at the rate of \$1.20 per share, our directors author- ized a special year-end bonus of twenty cents a share payable January 3, 1949. The total distributed to shareholders was, therefore, \$540,000 or \$120,000 greater than for 1947, leaving \$350,820 carried forward to Profit and Loss Account.

Our Paid-up Capital, Reserve Fund and Profit and Loss Account now total \$21,114,090. Of this amount the share- holders have paid in \$10,074,000, as in large part our shares have been issued at a substantial premium. The remain- der, \$11,040,090, represents that part of our annual earnings which each year (after payment of all taxes) has been retained and reinvested. It represents the accumulated savings of a ninety- three years of careful management.

The amount distributed for 1948 by way of dividends and bonus represents a yield on the shareholders' capital of 3.97%.

On the total funds employed by us, our net earnings this year, after taxes, were less than 3/10 of 1%.

Total Assets

Total Assets have increased \$12,600,000 to \$336,000,000, again a new peak. The ratio of quick assets to all liabilities to the public, 71.69%, is fractionally higher than a year ago.

Current Loans and Discounts

Under this important heading we again report a very satisfactory gain, the total \$125,700,000 being \$13,700,000 higher. Business activity has continued at a high level and it pleases us to feel that we have contributed our share to its maintenance in taking care of the requirements of our customers.

Bank Premises

Bank Premises, \$5,053,000, are higher by \$966,000. With construction material of all kinds, particularly steel, still in short supply, we are restricting new construction to essential projects. The growth of our business, however, has necessitated the erection of new buildings at several points, notably at Edmonton, where the premises our main office presently occupies are totally inadequate for our needs. In addition, we have spent a quite substantial amount in building new vaults, strengthening others, and instal- ling more up-to-date safe-depositing equipment.

Deposits

The gain here is notable. Total deposits are now \$110,000,000, an all-

time high, and deposits from the public, \$387,000,000, are up \$50,000,000 from a year ago. This further evidence of the confidence of the public in the strength and integrity of our institution must be as gratifying to our shareholders as it is to the management.

Branches

We opened eight new offices during the year and now have a total of 201 branches, an increase of 33 since the war ended.

Competition

Each turn in the cycle brings a change in problems, but in facing them our viewpoint can never change—that in the long run our success must always depend on the welfare of our customers. It is not sufficient that the transaction be profitable to the bank, but that we be sure that it will also further our client's interests. Good banking is essentially the exercise of good judgment.

In Canada's banking system there are ten institutions of extremely active competition, at all times looking for opportunities to expand their opera- tions and make new connections. A great deal has been said, and is being said, of what the picture would be if, in place of this competition, we had only one government bank. It is not our thought to enlarge on this, but each individual bank has always to bear in mind that a client, no matter how well his requirements have been taken care of in the past, may go elsewhere for the accommodation he desires if, in his opinion, his present bank is not taking care of him satisfactorily.

We are not one of the largest banks in Canada, but our resources are ample to service any type of account. Equally important, our operation is such that we are organized to give personal attention not only at branches but at Head Office, to the requirements of individual customers.

The aim of our Executive has always been to know as many as we can of our customers throughout the country, and it is a matter of pride that so many are personal friends and frequent visitors at Head Office.

Thanks to Staff

On this occasion it is the custom to say a few words in appreciation of our staff, and this I gladly do. Our organi- zation now numbers 2,214, of whom 976 are women. They have done excellent work throughout the year and our thanks to them are freely extended. In building up and main- taining the spirit of a bank, an efficient Head Office organization is not enough; it is the managers, their assistants, and the staff throughout the branches, who have day-to-day contacts with our customers, and in many respects they are the most important part of our organization.

Customers and Shareholders

My concluding words are to thank our customers and our shareholders for their loyalty and support throughout the year. To those who have newly come to us, we extend a welcome; to all of them we express our thanks.

HOUSE FOR SALE

For sale—8-room frame house, all conveniences, hardwood floors downstairs, new furnace. Apply 33 Queen St. W., Newmarket, phone 6971. c1w3

For sale—In Newmarket, 2-3 roomed frame house, in good shape. Possession can be arranged. \$4,500 with terms. Charles E. Boyd, realtor, 17 Main St., Newmarket, phone 533. c1w3

HOUSE WANTED

Wanted to rent—4 or 5 room house in Newmarket, modern conveniences. No children. Phone Newmarket 1164. (11)

REAL ESTATE

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\$5,500—New 6-room house, large living room, built-in bath, hotwater heating, 100 ft. lot, immediate possession.
\$9,500—New 5-room house, built-in cupboards, electric stove, hardwood floors, hotwater heating, immediate possession.
\$7,500—Garage and service station, small cottage, fully equipped, good location. Immediate possession.

Apply D'Arcy Miller, 39 Gorham St., or phone 97, Newmarket. c2w2

FARM WANTED

Wanted to rent—Farm or acreage with house and buildings in Newmarket or Bradford district. Good reference. John L. Flanagan, 311 McDonnell St., Peterboro, c1w3

ROOMS WANTED

Wanted to rent—Furnished room in Newmarket or vicinity, by bachelor. Abstainer and non-smoker. Apply Era and Express box 203. c1w3

ROOMS FOR RENT

For rent—Comfortable bedroom, suitable for business girl. With or without board. Phone Newmarket 411. c1w3

BOARDERS WANTED

Boarders wanted—Gentlemen only. Apply 226 Main St., Newmarket, phone 874w. c1w3

ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Venetian blinds, aluminum or steel, made for all styles of windows. Free estimates and installations. Phone 755, apply 40 Ontario St. W. or write P.O. box 456, Newmarket. t11

Household effects. Bought, sold or exchanged. Apply 151 Main St., Newmarket, phone 7351. c1w1

For sale—2 black opossum fur jackets. 6 pairs skates, 1 pair white, sizes 12 to 15. 2 men's overcoats, brown, size 16-18. All reasonable. Phone Newmarket 7761. c2w2

For sale—Double bed, complete. Dressing table, chiffrone, wardrobe box, 2-burner electric stove with oven, small-size chest of drawers, and Morris chair. Apply 194 Main St., Newmarket, phone 9301. c2w2

For sale—Kalechadin and Warba potatoes, \$1.25 per bag. Kitchen tables, cupboard and wash-stand. Washing machine and wringer. Apply L. E. Ewart, Newmarket, phone 201w3. c1w2

For sale—New William sewing machine, in good working condition. Phone Newmarket 870. c1w3

PRODUCE

For sale—At Holland Landing, 400 bus. ungraded carrots. 20c in lots of 25 bus. or more. Bring containers. Phone Newmarket 71341, or Bradford 13513. c1w3

For sale—Honey. Golden and Amber. Reasonable. Apply Johnson Bros., R. R. 3, Newmarket, phone Newmarket 27111. c2w3

MERCHANDISE

For sale—Radio tubes and batteries. We carry a complete stock of Eveready, uggess and General batteries for all radios. We have a large stock of all available tubes. Stewart Beare, Radio and Appliances, 113 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. t11

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For sale—Spirilla individually cut, made-to-measure foundation garments, very light, medium or heavy. Apply Mrs. B. Brown, 100 Park Ave., or phone 5511, Newmarket. t11

For sale—Beauty and Westinghouse washers, refrigerators, range cleaners, tub stands, wash tubs, clothes racks, tub drains, radios. Service on all appliances. Spilllette and Son, Newmarket. t11

For sale—Floor coverings, new patterns. Rexoleum, 45c, Rexoleum deluxe, 65c, "Gold Seal" congoletum, 80c, English 11 in 10 in, heavy canvas back, \$1.98, passage congoletum, yard wide, 75c. Brunton's old stand, Newmarket. c1w3

For sale—Blue convertible baby carriage, in excellent condition. Phone Newmarket 278r. c1w3

For sale—Oil burners, suitable for cookstove. Apply 73 Prospect St., Newmarket, phone 4471. c1w3

For sale—Norge space heater. New. Phone Newmarket 880r. c1w3

For sale—Small dresser, Unpainted vanity with mirror and stool. Phone Newmarket 623. c1w3

For sale—Three-piece chest of drawers, hotwater car heater with all attachments. Apply 7 Ontario St., Newmarket. c1w3

For sale—Dresser, in good condition. Will sell cheap. Phone 9771, Newmarket. c1w3

ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Small ice box, in good condition. Phone Newmarket 1541. c1w3

USED CARS FOR SALE

For sale—1934 V-8 Ford sedan, in good condition, with heater, 3 new tires. Phone Newmarket 286w3. c1w3

For sale—'29 Ford coupe. Apply Donald Scott, Sharon. c1w3

HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Experienced stenographer. Apply Veterans' Land Act, 14 Millard Ave., Newmarket. c1w2

Help wanted—We will thoroughly train pleasant, mature woman to service good territory. Avon Products Inc., write Era and Express box 201. c1w3

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Help wanted—Experienced draughtsman required by established manufacturer. Excellent working conditions. Reply stating experience and salary required to Era and Express box 200. c2w3

Help wanted—Woman to do laundry in her own home. Will be delivered and called for. Phone 876w, Newmarket. c1w3

Help wanted—Baby sitter for Saturday evenings. References. West side of town. Phone 471, Newmarket. c1w3

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Man with power chain saw would like contract cutting logs or wood. Write Era and Express box 193, or 143 Westwood Ave., Toronto to 6. c1w2

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FARM ITEMS

For sale—Baled wheat straw. Delivery. Apply H. F. Dunham, phone 170w, Newmarket. c1w3

For sale—Baled wheat straw. Apply Neil Paris, R. R. 2, Newmarket, phone 141w3. c1w2

For sale—10 good gray geese. Good black cow, springer. Apply 010 Barkey, phone Queensville 692. c1w3

LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—Team of Percheron colts, rising 4 years. Apply J. Green, Sharon, phone Queensville 426. c1w3

For sale—6 to 8 weeks old pigs. Phone 31113, Newmarket. c1w3

For sale—Berkshire bull, young, well-bred, 2 cows, freshening soon. Apply Murray Munro, Sutton, West, phone 25316. c1w3

LIVESTOCK WANTED

Wanted to buy—Old horses. Dead horses and cows. We pay for dead stock if fit to use. Notify as soon as possible after death. L. B. Pollock, Keswick, Ont., phone Queensville 2931. t11

Wanted to buy—Fox feed. Old horses, dead horses, dead cows. We pay for the dead animals if they are fit for our use. Advise immediately as dead stock soon spoils. G. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 5111, Newmarket. t11

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For sale—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery for those who suffer from varicose veins, ankle and knee trouble. Arch supports. Lumbago belts. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. t11

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For sale—1948 model H-G 42 Oliver crawler tractor with some associate equipment. Priced for immediate sale, Lane Bros., 1 Handel Ave., Toronto. Phone LY. 0659. c1w3

For sale—28-46 I.H.C. grain separator. '40 Ford Deluxe coach. '38 Chevrolet coach. Terms and cash. Hanley Bros, phone Schomberg 6331. c1w3

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CHRIST CHURCH LADIES' GUILD

Christ Church Ladies' Guild spent three long, busy days, January 12, 13 and 14, preparing, serving and cleaning for the banquet they catered for, for the Kettleby United church. One good thing comes from these affairs, we all get together and although it is hard work, enjoy ourselves. Even our husbands came along to lend a hand.

A meeting was held in Christ church on Thursday, Jan. 13, in the evening to make final arrangements for re-opening the Sunday-school. Teachers were chosen and classes arranged.

Another red letter day was Sunday, Jan. 16, at the opening of Sunday-school at 2 p.m., there was such a large number of children and teen-agers to attend the classes, to the great joy of the teachers and vicar. We hope these pupils will continue to come every Sunday and bring others with them. All children who are not attending any other Sunday-school are welcome.

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Curtis—In loving memory of my dear wife, Effie, and a mother of William, Clarence, Alice, Russell and Owen, who passed away January 23, 1946.

Just a thought of sweet remembrance,
Just a memory and true
Just the love and sweet devotion
Of us, who think of you.
Sadly missed by husband and family.

Muir—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Archibald Muir, who passed away suddenly January 23, 1941.
Those whom we love go out of sight,
But never out of mind;
Of those who leave behind,
Loving and kind in all his ways,
Upright and just to the end of his days.
Beautiful memories he left behind.
Ever remembered by his wife and family.

McGhee—In loving memory of a dear brother, Allan McGhee, who passed away January 19, 1946, also a brother-in-law, Archibald Muir, who passed away January 23, 1941. Loving and kind in all their ways, Upright and just to the end of their days.
Sincere and kind in heart and mind,
A beautiful memory they left behind.
While you dear loved ones rest in sleep
Your loving memories we will always keep.
Lovingly remembered by brothers and sisters.

McGhee—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Allan McGhee, who passed away suddenly January 19, 1946.
Three years have passed since that sad day
When our great sorrow fell;
The shock that we received that day
We still remember well.
Your end came sudden, father;
You made us weep and cry;
But the saddest part of all,
You didn't say goodbye.
Sometimes it's hard to understand
Why some things have to be,
But in His wisdom God has planned.

Beyond our power to see,
A day of remembrance sadly recalled.
Without farewell he left us all.
To be with us in the same old way.
Would be our dearest wish today.
Always remembered by wife, sons and daughters.

Murphy—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Mrs. Ruby Murphy, who passed away January 19, 1946.
When evening shades are falling,
And I sit in quiet alone,
To my heart there comes a longing,
If she only could come home.
Friends may think I have forgotten.
When at times they see me smile,
But they little know the heartache,
My smile hides all the while,
Ever remembered by husband and family.

Prosser—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother who passed away January 13, 1947. God knew that she was suffering.
The hills were hard to climb,
So he closed her weary eyelids,
And whispered "Peace be thine".
Away in the beautiful hills of God,
By the valley of rest so fair,
Some time, some day, we know not when,
We will meet our loved one there.
Winston, Vera and June.

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MOUNT PISGAH

Carl Stephenson underwent an appendix operation recently but is improving favorably now. Also Mrs. Garnet Evans was in the hospital but home again, although still confined to her bed. We hope they will both recover rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Foote and family of Cedar Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Ash and Sheila last Friday.

Clem Ellas is playing hockey in the Junior O.H.A. circuit this winter. He has signed up with the Uxbridge squad.

Mr. Howard Baker left last Wednesday for Kitchener where he is attending Bible school.

Mr. Ed Gimber is on two weeks' vacation and visiting around this community during that time.

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DEATHS

Cook—At the home of her daughter, 247 Glendonwyne Rd., on January 17, 1949, Sarah Matilda Cook, wife of the late John Cook, nee nee of Mrs. William Temple (Muir), sister of Mrs. Charles Duke (Frances), Schomberg; Mrs. J. J. Lyons (Lillian), Tottenham; grandmother of Mrs. Stanley Nicholson (Grace) and Lois E. Temple.

Interment Aurora cemetery on Wednesday.

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Footie-Notes
By
BILL FOOTE - Aurora Editor
(This column was intended for
last week but was omitted be-
cause of lack of space. Footie
Notes will appear in subsequent
issues.)
"How to play better hockey"
is a topic which is, more often
than not, to the fore in local
circles this time of the year. Due
to an almost complete lack of
experts, however, a discussion
along other lines is indicated.
Nevertheless, hockey, as the lo-
cal be-all and end-all for the
next few days, should at least be
noted in passing. Discussion of
the above-mentioned topic being
rather useless, it would seem,
especially after surveying a most
prolific field, that the considera-
tion of the subject, "How to play
poor hockey more expertly"
would prove more beneficial.
The spectators are an impor-
tant part of any hockey game
and merit consideration. Thus,
if you must play poor hockey, it
should be played so as to cause
as little pain as possible for the
spectators. (Spectators, being
more or less confined to their
seats, are prone to frustration.
This can result in a hockey
phobia, a neurotic condition in
which hockey fans stay at home
on hockey nights and cut out

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On The Alleys
Totals over 700 were needed
this week in the Town Men's
League to take down top hon-
ors. Ken McInnis (Bender's)
took a 791 triple (226-251-314),
that 314 of his copping single
game honors. Roy Fairley
(Bankers) was next in line with
740 (255-264-221). Other lead-
ing three-game scorers were
Milt. Wesley with 673, Moe Hall
with 673, Farmer Wesley 662,
Jack Sine 625. Newmarket Lum-
ber tossers made the largest
gain Tuesday with a four-point
effort. The Bankers and Dix-
ons with 3 were the other main
collectors. Team totals show
Bankers amassing 3,543 to lead
Tuesday's performance.
Roy Smalley pinned up a new
high triple mark in the Hoffman
League with a fine 760 (235-265-
260) roll Friday. Other triples
worthy of note were W. Hut-
chinson's 627, Ivan Ruddock's
612 and Keith Davis' 606. The
Press Shop heads the league
with 25½ points. They gained
3 Friday. Vordone holds down
second with 23, putting 3½ of
these on record last week.
Sheet Metal follow with 22;
next it's Machine Shop with 18
and trailing Stores with 15½.
Les Wright showed the way
to all his fellow bowlers from
Davis Leather last week with a
fine 766 triple effort. Ned Tan-
sley, his nearest threat, rang up
a 652, threesome. Andy Cullen
and his mates came away major
point gainers with 7. Jack
Groves' last place team boosted
their season's record with five.
A hot race is developing for
top spot in the Friday night
mixed league. Today Smoothies
and Wildcats are all even with
40 each. Next it's Rinky Dinks
with 26 and finally Tomhawks
with 25. Earl Burrows' 633
(182-288-163) triple put him in
front. That 288 game allowed
him to capture high single hon-
ors. Frank Burch with a 606
total was next in line. Grace
Walther was best in the ladies'
section with 538 (177-196-165)
followed by Doris Simmerson
with 506.
It's getting to be a habit for
Ann Osborne to set the pace
among the ladies' lawn bowlers.
She did it once again Friday
putting together 190-244 and 247
games for an excellent 681.
Thelma Sloss checked in with
534 (189-199-146) for second
honors. Wildcats lead the league
with 20 points, putting three on
record Friday. Indians have 17
and S.O.S. trail with 15.
Among the Thursday Night
girls, Hazel Bennett topped the
individual scores with a 574
three-game total. Other excel-
lent marks were Norma Peel's
549 and Helen Coveney's 535.
High single was registered by
Doris Beare with a 242.
Jean Willis paced the Office
Specialty ladies' league pencil-
ling three steady games, 191-213-
170, for a 574 total. Second was
Eva Whitfield with 567 (110-179-
178) and right at her heels Joyce
VandenBergh with 566. Alma
McComb with a 227 single, top-
ped that department.
With the first series reached
last week in the Bradford men's
league, Aces were led by Steve
Simone. Steve racked up a
895 triple last week, wound up
in front with 66 points. Hams
with 60 finished second, follow-
ed by Cowboys, 48, and Hurri-
cans, 47.
There's no holding the lady
ball players, doing their bowling
Monday at Joe Smith's. Edna
McGrath was a way over par
with a 705 (311-182-212) three-
some, that 311 being high single
mark for the season. Runner-
up for individual honors was
Mona Dean with 602 (169-258-
175). Other three-game scores
worthy of note were recorded by
Bea Daly 586, Kitty Ruddock
550, Floss Gibson 546, Hester
Clark 536, Dorothy Smith 523,
Edith Wilson 523, Nora Gibney
523, Floss Campbell 516 and
Edith Hall 501. Halfway mark
in the league comes along next
week. Duds are well in front
with 36, with Humbugs closest
opposition 8 points back at 28.

MOUNT PISGAH
The January meeting of the
Gormley W.I. will be held on
Wednesday, Jan. 26, at the home
of Mrs. R. C. Boycroft. Roll-call
is to be answered by, What I
serve unexpected guests. Pro-
gram will be arranged by Mrs.
Boycroft and the hostesses will
be Mrs. A. Gray and Mrs. Harry
Smith.

KETTLEBY
Next Sunday, Jan. 23, is set
aside as Missionary Sunday when
we shall hear of the wonderful
work our missionaries are doing
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school at 2 p.m. and afternoon
service at 3 p.m.

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NEWS 'n' VIEWS
This said history repeats and
well you can believe it. The
Metropolitan League long since
forgotten staged a return last
Thursday. A grand success, that
comeback, too. Something like
1,400 fans, Citizens' and Trum-
pet bands, town council and
Recreation Commission. "Spit-
fires" win, figure skating at in-
termission led by our own Shir-
ley Andrews. Mayor Joseph
Vale, Reeve Chas. Evans, Brad-
ford, and Charles Scott, Sutton,
added the right touch as a star-
ter. "Mr. Showman," Les Beazer
even sneaked our American
cousins into the picture, a trib-
ute to Dewey Kuhns, monitor
and chief whip of the Spitfires.
New paint job, refreshment
counter, dispatch with which
proceedings sailed along, created
a fine impression.
If we had a hot stove league
and were one of the stokers,
the three stars would rest with
Fred "Pete" Dillman, "Swiftly"
Todd and Harry "Charcoal"
Caradonna. Bradford appeared
without a member of the pipe-
smokers' union in tow. Fred
stepped in, the pressure was on
the Dillman citadel, but he halt-
ed drive after drive right on his
own doorstep. "Swiftly" Todd,
going great guns, put a lot of
mileage under his skates, for-
ward and back, to whack in two
goals. Coach Harvey Gibney
with the addition of Cliff Gunn
to bolster the shillelagh corps
shot Harry Caradonna up front.
A move that paid off, the con-
verted defenceman made his
presence felt with three assists
and a goal on his own.
Bradford, hit as they are by
the injury jinx, looks the weak
sister of the circuit. "Dodger"
Collings, first victim, after stag-
ing a comeback, is out with an
ankle injury. Ken "Speeds"
Tupling counted heavily to do
the blocking, did just that in a
practice session but with his
nose, necessitating a hurried
trip to the pain house. He's out
now but won't see action for
some time. Freddie Dillman
stepped into two games, here
and against Sutton, but the
O.H.A. says nix, no more. It's
help we're needing says Coach
Collings. What say Maestro
Hines?
More help for the Spitfires in-
deed. Alan "Shorty" Wright-
man and Stan Evans inked cer-
tificates over the weekend. A

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Newmarket 2 1 0 4
Bradford 0 2 1 1
Aurora 0 3 1 1

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B. McMillan (Sutton) 1 3 4
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H. Caradonna (Nkt.) 1 3 4
G. Holborn (Sutton) 2 2 4

CLOTHING NEEDED
The Society for Crippled
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**hockey two-some that would be
welcome anywhere. Likely to
see action before long. "Murph"
Jettley missed last Thursday's
opener due to an injury. Should
be back right smartly. Les
Boydton, arena chairman, recre-
ation commission, pleased to re-
port, is coming along nicely.
It's a strict rest cure for two
more weeks. Meantime vice-
chairman, Mr. Hockey himself,
J. B. "Jim" Walker carries on
the movement.
And now here's something:
Harold Rogers brings Aurora to
town Thursday, all being well
of course in the Jack Frost de-
partment. "We're out to smack
down Newmarket," he says. Au-
rora will make it interesting
with Bill Mitchell, Irky Ross
and several newcomers on the
roster. Are you listening, Mr.
Gibney?
Still our juveniles are without
a home game. Tuesday's fracas
with Aurora postponed. Try
again next Tuesday. Stouffville
is the opposition.**

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Open Discussion Held
By Child Study Group

Newmarket — The opening meeting of the Child Study Group of the Home and School Association was held January 12 at the home of Mrs. John Swindells with ten members present.

The study course is set down by Dr. Karl S. Bernhardt is to be followed throughout. There are eight topics to be taken up. The first "What the school child is like" was led by Mrs. Swindells who had compiled a very interesting and concise paper based on the lessons as set down by Dr. Bernhardt and recommended books obtained from the Home and School Federation library.

An open discussion followed with these questions as guides:

(1) In what way must the child's physical make-up be taken into account? (2) How can we help the child in his emotional development? (3) Should we interfere with the child's interests? Under what circumstances? Why? (4) In trying to understand our children how can we observe them without appearing to pry or interfere? (5) In what way can a family council function and what are its values?

The next meeting will be January 26 at the home of Mrs. S. Jefferson, 64 Gorham St. Subject, "The Child at School".

All interested are invited to join with the group.

Homemakers' Exchange

With the newer quick-cooking rolled oats there is no excuse for omitting the hot breakfast cereal. Porridge, well made, is a delicious treat on a cold morning, also it "sticks to the ribs" until the next meal.

Here are several good recipes using rolled oats.

SCOTTISH FANCIES

2 Eggs 1 Cup sugar
1/4 Tsp. salt 1/4 Tsp. vanilla
2 Tbsp. melted butter
1 Cup rolled oats
1 Cup coconut

Beat eggs until light, add sugar, salt, vanilla and melted butter. Beat well, add rolled oats and coconut. Drop in teaspoonfuls, well apart, on a greased baking sheet. Bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees) until lightly browned. About ten minutes. Yield: five dozen small, thin cookies.

ROLLED OATS BATTER PUDDING

4 Medium apples
2 to 3 Tbsp. sugar
1/3 Cup shortening
1/3 Cup brown sugar
1 Egg
1/4 Tsp. vanilla
1/2 Cup sifted all-purpose flour
2 Tsp. baking powder
1/4 Tsp. cinnamon
1/4 Tsp. salt
1/4 Cup rolled oats
1/2 Cup milk

Peel, core and slice apples. Place in a greased baking dish and sprinkle with sugar. Cream

shortening, add brown sugar and cream well together. Add beaten egg and vanilla, beating well. Mix and sift flour, baking powder, cinnamon and salt and rolled oats. Add dry ingredients alternately with the milk to the creamed mixture. Pour batter over apples and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 40 minutes. Yield: six servings.

Note: Other fresh or drained, canned fruit may be used instead of apples.

ROLLED OATS MOLASSES COOKIES

1/2 Cup molasses
1/2 Cup brown sugar
2 Tbsp. shortening
1/2 Cup sifted all-purpose flour
1/4 Tsp. baking powder
1/4 Tsp. salt
1/4 Tsp. cinnamon
1/2 Tsp. ground ginger
1/2 Cup quick-cooking rolled oats
1/2 Tsp. baking soda
1 1/2 Tbsp. milk

Heat molasses, brown sugar and shortening together and blend well. Mix and sift flour, baking powder, salt and spices and stir into the warm molasses mixture. Add the rolled oats and the soda, dissolved in the milk. Mix well and drop by spoonfuls on a greased cookie sheet leaving plenty of space between cookies. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) 15 minutes. Remove from pan while warm. Yield: two dozen medium-sized cookies.

A WOMAN'S PAGE

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Newmarket Social News

Phone Newmarket 780

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin included Mrs. Ila Powell, Sudbury, Mrs. Leonard Crockett and Mr. Bert Graham, Toronto.

Mrs. J. H. Crocker, accompanied by her granddaughter, Carol Ann Lowcock, returned on Sunday from Toronto where they had been visiting Mrs. Crocker's daughter, Mrs. Michael Sannuto.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tolchard, Toronto, were weekend guests of Mrs. Walter Calvert.

Misses Lois and Norma Baldon and Messrs. Dennis Martin and Ivan Gibson visited in Orangeville on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. El Turner.

Mrs. Bertram Bell, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. S. Madill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mino visited Mr. Mino's mother, Mrs. Adelaide Mino, Hillsdale, one day last week.

Miss Shirley Creed, Reg. N., Toronto, spent the weekend at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Creed.

Miss Marlene Martin visited Miss Dorothy Brillinger on Sunday.

Mrs. T. E. Woodruff left on January 9 for Sydney where she plans to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hart and family for nearly a month.

Misses Shirley Langford, Norine Greenwood, Pearl Sparks, Irene Curtis and Verna Shier spent Sunday in Toronto and called on Allan Greenwood at the Toronto General hospital.

Mrs. David Love has been confined to the house for the past week with blood-poisoning of the foot.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Young, Toronto, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Ion.

The most frequent callers at Newmarket homes this week were the common cold and influenza. Many planned activities and visits were postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ward visited at the home of Mrs. E. Ward, Toronto, over January 9 weekend.

Miss N. Broughton has returned home from Sault Ste. Marie, having spent three weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Broughton.

Young
Hopefuls

By DOROTHY MUIR BOWMAN

Johnny, age five-and-a-half years, disrupts the household with his pets of snakes, mice and toads. It is startling, to say the least, to watch Johnny play with snakes or feed his toads with flies held in his little hands. (The pet toads strike out with their long tongues and whisk their meals of flies from his hands.)

However, Johnny's interest in reptiles and small four-legged creatures doesn't end with feeding them or building huts for them. Lately, Johnny has been frightening Frankie, his little three-year-old brother. He chases Frankie, yelling, "Here comes a mouse, Frankie, run, Frankie, run, here comes a mouse!" Frankie runs screaming to his mother, who is not unfrightened of mice. Mother learns that Johnny is only teasing and pretending to have a mouse just to get some lively response from Frankie. Johnny is asked to console Frankie and does so by saying, "Don't be afraid, Frankie, it's not a mouse; it's just a wild lion." Of course, that makes everything alright until the next time.

Granted — the five-year-old Johnny needs disciplining for frightening three-year-old Frankie. Father is called on to administer same — which he does — and repeatedly. As long as Johnny gets such exciting results, the temptation to frighten Frankie will probably be more than he can resist. It will be worth rather severe punishment.

A serious attempt should be made to stop Frankie from reacting. Read to him about the tiny, dear, little mice; tell him stories about these harmless little creatures. Try to explain why mother jumps and screams when one of the pet toads jumps out of the milk shoot at her or she discovers a pet mouse in a dresser drawer. No, Frankie, mother is not really afraid — it's just that the little creatures surprise her when they appear unexpectedly.

Pets afford valuable experiences, but need not be tolerated at the expense of disrupting the entire household. If Johnny wants to retain his live pets, he should look after them properly. Just as with other playthings, he should have a place for them and keep them in their place.

Hillview Club Plans
Many New Activities

Newmarket — The third meeting of the Hillview Gardens canteen club was held on Friday, Jan. 14, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. MacAfee, at 15 Arthur St. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ridout, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Teskey, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jones, Mr. and Mrs. MacAfee, at 15 Arthur St. Dave Lyon attended.

The high prize was won by Mrs. Lyons, the low prize by Mrs. Jones. The prizes are always some useable, nick-nack for the home. It is intended that the last meeting in the first week of May will be a party and dance to be held in the Legion Hall. All those living in the Hillview Gardens area and their friends will be invited. When final arrangements have been made invitations will be issued.

It is intended to have spring, summer and fall activities, such as horse-shoes, volley ball, baseball, lawn croquet and regular picnics throughout the summer. Persons in the Hillview Gardens area will be invited to participate.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ridout, 1 Arthur St., on Friday, Jan. 21.

Mrs. H. B. Knap
To Address Red Cross

Newmarket — The annual meeting of the Newmarket Red Cross will be held in Trinity United church on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 3 p.m. There will be an election of officers.

The speaker will be Mrs. H. B. Knap, organizing director for the Blood Transfusion Service in this district. The aim of the Red Cross is to put an end to the buying and selling of human blood. Mr. W. B. Hanna, president of the Ontario division, claims it is "the greatest humane endeavor undertaken by mankind".

In Toronto and district the Red Cross has set an objective of 30,000 regular donors and hopes to get 15,000 more in the rest of Central Ontario district. The main depot laboratories have been set up in Chorley Park where the provincial government has provided space for the main blood bank. The government has given the society \$100,000 as a capital grant and promises \$10,000 annually to help meet maintenance costs.

IS PROGRESSING

Mrs. H. Gilroy, Timothy St., who was admitted as a patient to Toronto General hospital on January 5, is reported to be progressing nicely.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Gerald Code underwent a major operation at York County hospital on Tuesday. Her condition is reported as satisfactory.

Canadian shipyards will build fast anti-submarine vessels for Canada's navy.

HOLD SKATING PARTY

The Church of the Nazarene Young People's group enjoyed a skating party at Queensville arena on January 14. Seventy returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Shier for refreshments with everyone reporting an evening of good fun and fellowship.

50 - 50 Club
To Visit Aurora

At a recent meeting of the 50-50 club of Trinity United church the following slate of officers was elected for 1949: hon. pres., Rev. Cotton; past pres., Dick Hilliard; pres., Doris Proctor; first vice pres., Harold Rousom; second vice pres., Dan Bovair; sec., Lois Blight; treas., Daisy Hockley; directors, Shirley Geer, Marg Kelley, Ross McClymont, Bob McEwen; auditors, Gladys Gibson, Audrey Hilliard; pianist, Marjory Armour; song leader, Ken Johns; publicity, Betty Brammer.

On Monday, Jan. 24, the club is paying a visit to the Couples' club, United church, Aurora, and are responsible for part of the program. Any member of the Newmarket club wishing to go should be at the United church, Newmarket, at 8 p.m., when the members with cars will provide transportation.

On Friday, April 29, the Bell Singers, Toronto, will appear in the Newmarket United church auditorium under the sponsorship of the 50-50 club. This group of 40 girl voices is under the direction of Dr. Leslie Bell and is rated as the outstanding girl choir in Canada today. It is expected that a portion of the profits will be turned over to the United Emergency Fund for Britain.

Aurora Music Club
To Present Pianist

Aurora — Miss Louise McDowell will be featured by the Aurora Music club in a recital at the United church commencing at 8 p.m., Friday, Jan. 28.

Two years ago the Aurora Music club was organized and held its first recital. The artist on that occasion was also Miss McDowell who had just returned to her home town after a long and brilliant musical career.

Miss McDowell was one of the fortunate persons who was able to study music in Germany. After some time spent at the Toronto Conservatory of Music, under the tuition of the late Dr. Edward Fisher, she continued her studies in Germany, graduating with distinction from the Leipzig Conservatory of Music.

Returning finally to America, Miss McDowell spent two summers in New York under the instruction of Raphael Josefy and four years at the Chicago College of Music under the tuition of the eminent pianist and composer, Percy Grainger.

With the exception of a few years, her musical career has centered about Winnipeg, from whence she came a couple of years ago to retire in Aurora.

Those who have already heard Miss McDowell in recital will realize that an interesting program awaits them. Her programs cover a wide range of musical interest and have an intimate and popular appeal.

Girl Guides Plan
Monthly Candy Sale

Newmarket — The January meeting of the Girl Guide local association was held in St. Paul's parish hall with Mrs. M. E. R. Boudreau presiding.

A sale of home-made candy will be held on January 27 and 28 at the presentation of the Dramatic club in the town hall. Guides will bring their candy to their regular weekly meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 26, while the Brownies will bring their candy to their meeting on Thursday, Jan. 27. Mrs. Elman Campbell and Miss Esther McCle will convene the sale on Thursday evening. Mrs. Stewart Beare and Mrs. Robt. McCabe will take charge of the Friday sale.

Mrs. E. Morton
President of W.M.S.

Newmarket — On Thursday afternoon, Jan. 13, at the regular meeting of the Afternoon Auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Society of Trinity United church, good reports of the past year's activities were presented by convenors of committees. The following are officers for 1949: hon. presidents, Mrs. H. Cotton, Mrs. R. R. McMath, Mrs. J. F. Scott; past pres., Mrs. W. R. Stephens; pres., Mrs. E. Morton; first vice pres., Mrs. J. A. Maitland; second vice pres., Mrs. F. Robinson; rec. sec., Mrs. A. Crowle; assist. sec., Mrs. Brillinger; corr. sec., Miss L. Toole; treas., Mrs. R. Meads; fin. sec., Mrs. W. R. Stephens; temp. sec., Miss S. Watson; sec. of Christian Stewardship, Mrs. A. Brammer; lit. sec., Mrs. Maitland; Missionary Monthly sec., Mrs. F. Codlin; sec. of supplies, Mrs. F. Robinson; assistants for supplies, Mrs. N. Scott, Mrs. W. J. Patterson, Miss L. Richardson, Mrs. E. Pipher; pianist, Mrs. L. P. Freeman; assist. pianist, Mrs. Houston; mem. com., Mrs. S. Quast, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Pipher, Mrs. Brillinger.

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Buddy Paton, Brampton, 15 years old on Sunday, Jan. 16.

Vera Preston, Bethesda, eight years old on Sunday, Jan. 16.

Wayne Frederick Shaw, Pine Grove, five years old on Monday, Jan. 17.

Barbara Ann Barrey, Keswick, 12 years old on Monday, Jan. 17.

Joseph Erb, R. R. 1, Holt, 15 years old on Tuesday, Jan. 18.

Ileen Irwin, Newmarket, 13 years old on Wednesday, Jan. 19.

Jean Anne Legood, Newmarket, 11 years old on Wednesday, Jan. 19.

Jackie Sanders, R. R. 1, Le-froy, 13 years old on Wednesday, Jan. 19.

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TO CONDUCT SURVEY

Newmarket — A survey of the town conducted by the members of the Home and School Association will begin on February 1. The purpose of the survey is to list the pre-school age children so that with this definite information the most suitable location for the proposed new school can be chosen. Chairman of the survey is Mrs. C. E. Wheeland with Mrs. N. L. Mathews, Mrs. C. D. Barber, Mrs. M. B. Seldon and Mrs. Bert Budd acting as captains.

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Belhaven — The community would like to extend heartfelt felicitations to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Nelson on their diamond wedding anniversary. The kindly couple have passed a coveted milestone, seldom reached.

Merlyn Winch is ill in York County hospital. It is hoped for a speedy recovery.

Belhaven Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Erwin Winch on January 11 with 22 ladies and three children present. The roll-call, "Why I prefer country life to city life", was well answered by every member present.

Mrs. Bernard Davidson furnished the meeting with several interesting current events of farm interest. Miss Marie Crittenden played a piano solo.

Mr. Frank Marritt gave the members information on "York Co-operative Medical Services" and supplied each one present with literature and application blanks. It was decided that the Institute should form a group. Any member of the Institute who

wishes to join should get in touch with the secretary, Mrs. Erwin Winch, as soon as possible as the Institute is anxious that all applications should be in by the last week in January.

Mrs. Don Morton played a medley of old, favorite songs and Mrs. Connell Marritt gave a full and interesting account of the Institute convention. A humorous reading entitled "The Hen" was recited by Mrs. E. Winch. The meeting closed with a contest entitled Canadian Apples. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. R. Stiles, Mrs. R. Folkeard and Mrs. Norman King.

KETTLEBY

Miss Jean Macdonald and Miss Sara Barradell spent the weekend with Miss Phyllis Hoiles, Nobleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cook were Sunday evening guests at the home of Miss Grace Blatchford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Blatchford and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burns attended Carmen United church, Toronto, on Sunday evening.

Kettleby W.I. will meet at the home of Mrs. Norman Greensides on Wednesday, Jan. 26.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Harry Webster yesterday.

(Held over from last week) Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Louis, Downsview, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McQuarrie, Maple, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Anson McCluskie.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Geer.

Mr. Allan Curtis, Port Hope, and Mr. Cecil Archer, Springfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster.

Mr. Harry Stephenson returned with Mr. Allan Curtis to do some carpentry.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cook were Wednesday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook.

Miss Aileen Blackburn has returned to Toronto to work for the winter months.

HOLLAND LANDING

(Held over from last week) The regular meeting of Christ church Women's Guild was held at the home of Mrs. N. Maukonen on Wednesday, Jan. 5. There were 14 in attendance. The opening prayer was read by Mrs. Maukonen. The following officers for the year 1949 were elected: pres., Mrs. H. Langridge; vice pres., Mrs. R. Goodwin; treas., Mrs. J. Thackman; sec., Mrs. W. Campbell; assist. sec., Mrs. C. Bollender; social committee, Mrs. E. Lundy and Mrs. E. Thompson. The meeting was closed by Mr. Puxley, after which a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Maukonen.

KESWICK

The annual pot-luck supper of Keswick W.A. held in the United church was quite a success, considering the icy roads. Around 40 were present and the guest speaker, Mrs. H. L. Puxley, Roche's Point, was much appreciated. Her subject was "The Life of an Indian Woman".

Mrs. Clarke Martin, Clarlyn Lodge, Lake Shore Road, has invited the W.A. of the United church to have its meeting at her home on the afternoon of February 9, commencing at 2.30. This will give members an opportunity to bring the shower of aprons for the coming bazaar.

Last Tuesday, Jan. 11, the Keswick W.C.T.U. held its meeting at the home of Mrs. Freeman Pollock and Mrs. Kennedy.

An interesting meeting was enjoyed by all with Mrs. M. R. Brown presiding and Mrs. Frank Marritt taking the devotional.

Mrs. Perry Winch gave some helpful information on the temperance work being done among the pupils of the public schools.

The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Orville King.

The Lakeside Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Orvan Huntley on Thursday, Jan. 27. Please note the change of day.

(Held over from last week) Miss Hazel Sprague, Newmarket, visited Miss Maye Sprague on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Waldon and son and Miss Florence Waldon, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. Waldon and Miss Waldon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Waldon.

Misses Olive and Doreen Niles, Toronto, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Nyles.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stiles attended a banquet at the Royal York, Toronto, last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stephens are making great improvements by remodeling their house.

Mr. Jack Bosworth is home from York County hospital. Mrs. Jack Bosworth is still confined to her bed with the flu.

Dr. Berry and Mrs. Berry of Sutton had Tuesday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Yorke and Mrs. Everett Yorke.

(Held over from last week) Mrs. Jack Bosworth is ill with the flu and others of the family are sick.

Mrs. John Hopkins, Sr., Keswick, spent the weekend with her son, Alex, and family.

Mr. Jack Bosworth, who has been in Newmarket where he underwent an appendix operation, is better.

The social evening held by the Women's Guild last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Stiles was well attended.

Miss Iva Stiles, Reg. N., returned to her duties in Toronto last Saturday.

Mrs. Everett Yorke, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Yorke and Messrs. Wilfred and Joe Closs had Sunday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson and George.

Make Presentation To Terry Family

Mount Pisgah—A recent evening, a farewell surprise party was held for the Terrys who are moving to Parry Sound shortly, after 35 years here. There were about 45 guests present and the evening was spent in progressive euchre. Prizes were won by Mrs. Wm. Ash, R. C. Boycroft and Mrs. Norman Brown for the ladies and Messrs. Russ Elias, Jim Duncan and Jim Brown for the men. After a bountiful lunch was served a presentation was made and an address read by Mrs. Ida Leary on behalf of the community.

Mr. Fred Terry gratefully expressed his thanks as did Misses Kate and Ida Terry.

(Held over from last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harvey and Dean visited the Weddells at Sharon on Sunday.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gamble were Mrs. Naylor, Mrs. E. Underhill, Aurora, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Chadwick.

Mr. Murray Brown, who has been working in Hamilton for some time now, is to be in Chatham for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Deeks left for Guelph on Sunday after spending the last three weeks visiting their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whitty and family, Claremont, had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. Elias and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith spent the weekend in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Barker and Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Les. White and son, Gilford, called on Mr. and Mrs. M. Wells and family last Sunday.

Mr. Edgar Baycroft, from our western provinces, but who is in Toronto for the winter, and Mr. Oscar Bellamy, Toronto, had supper last Wednesday at the Baycroft home.

PINE ORCHARD

The W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Jesse Lundy on Wednesday, Jan. 12. The meeting opened with the president in the chair. Minutes were read and adopted. Letters were read from Britain acknowledging receipt of food parcels. Arrangements were made for Family Night on Wednesday evening, Feb. 9, at the Union church.

Mrs. Douglas Hope and Mrs. Howard Lehman were appointed to attend the Homemaker club leaders' course at Newmarket.

The program was in charge of the citizenship committee. Mrs. John Ash was chairman and the roll-call was "whom would you choose to meet and why?" This proved most interesting. Those who did not respond paid a forfeit. Splendid current events were given by Mrs. Howard McClure. Mrs. Arthur Boyd of Yonge St., was guest speaker and gave an excellent talk on "What does life mean to you?"

She explained the need of women organizing a branch of the Federation of Agriculture in the district, also the importance of keeping up to date on matters of importance to farm women.

We should study how best to improve labor-saving methods to assist farm women to have more time to make life more attractive to rural young people," she said.

Mrs. J. Hope conducted an original contest on surnames of families in the community. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. J. Lundy, Mrs. J. Ash, Mrs. H. McClure, Mrs. J. Hope, Mrs. R. Chapman, Miss Betty Hope and Mrs. C. Foote.

Kindly pay Blue Cross dues to Mrs. Edson Johnston by Feb. 10. A farm radio forum organization meeting will be held at Pine Orchard school on Monday evening, Jan. 24, at 8 o'clock. Everyone is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McCallum and Mrs. Matson of the 2nd were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. Baxter.

Marshall Bag and Lois Brilinger will be in charge of Young People's on Friday night, Jan. 21, at the Union church.

Sunday-school at the Union church is at 1.30 p.m. with classes for all ages. Church service is at 2.30 p.m. Rev. Norman Rowan is in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Weaver, Richmond Hill, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. Armitage.

PLEASANTVILLE

On Friday night of last week the men folk of the Bogartown Club put on a good program which included a recitation by Michael Murphy of Newmarket, Bogartown Harmonizers Quartet, and a Newmarket street-naming contest, prepared by Sid. Legge. Francis Starr gave a talk and showed pictures of his travels overseas. The next meeting is on Wednesday evening, Feb. 9.

The Bogartown Institute will meet on Saturday, Jan. 22, at the school. Two quilts are to be quilted and there will be a pot-luck dinner. All members are asked to be present some time during the day.

Sorry to report Mr. A. Colville is confined to his bed with

virus pneumonia. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

Guests for Sunday dinner at the home of Mrs. G. McClure included Mr. and Mrs. R. Cook and little Donna Thompson, Toronto, Mrs. A. Richardson, Howard and Mildred Richardson, Aurora.

Miss D. Ratcliffe was a Thursday night tea guest with Mrs. G. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. King, Yonge St., were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Wm. Walker, also attending Pine Orchard Union church. Mrs. King has just recently arrived from Ireland.

On Sunday afternoon Mrs. G. McClure, Orley McClure and Lillian Julien motored to the home of Mr. W. J. Dempster, Utopia, to see their son-in-law, Mr. Otto Olson, and his wife, from Kenora. Otto was a comrade of Orley's while in the Fort Garry's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and two children attended a family party at the home of Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. George Pounds, Toronto, on Saturday, also spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Clarke.

We welcome back to Bogartown community again Mr. and Mrs. L. Harper and Mrs. James Harper, who have moved to their new home on Leslie St.

Master Charles Greenwood celebrated his ninth birthday on Saturday. Dinner guests were Ian Starkey, Roger McClure and Norman Kay.

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2-E	N-32	Super Service	51	135	28.35	14.05	14.30		
2-E	N-33	Armour Glass	51	135	31.75	16.25	15.50		
2-M	N-27	Super Service	51	135	28.25	13.45	14.80		
2-M	N-52	Armour Glass	51	135	33.95	14.75	19.20		
2-FH	N-38	Super Service	45	120	24.45	12.05	12.40		
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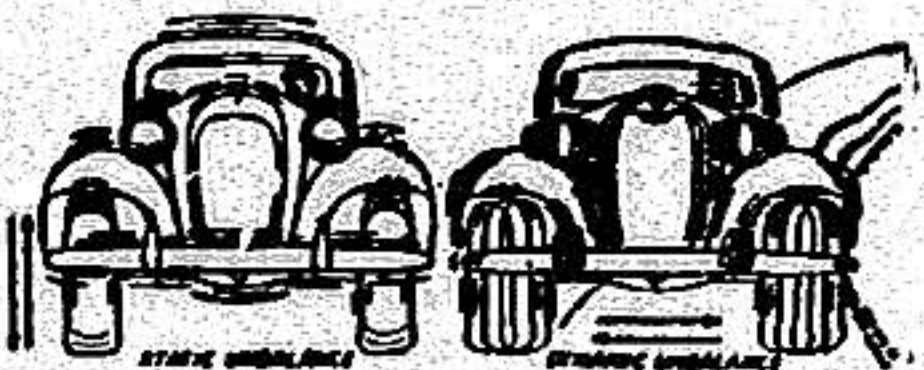
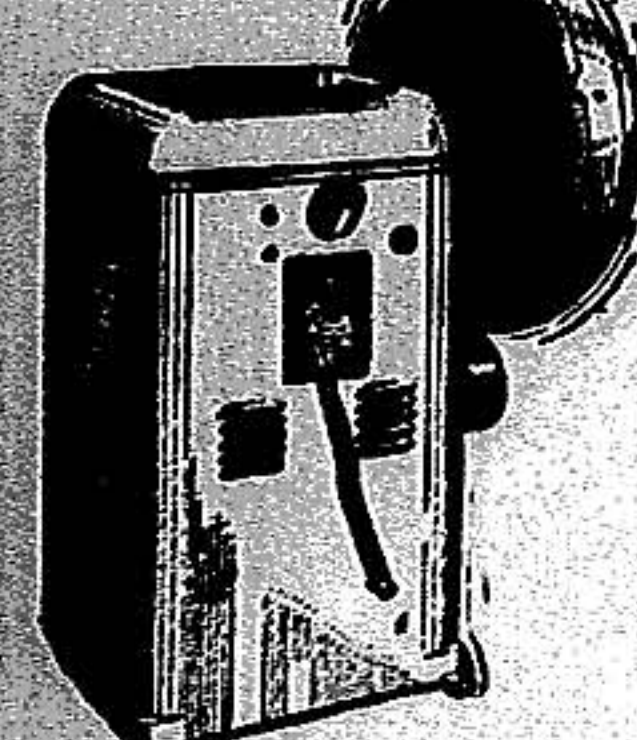
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med their way in to view the proceedings. To make it a complete success the visiting Bradford Celery Kings obliged by absorbing a 5-1 defeat. Bradford, as you can imagine, weren't too happy about it but then they weren't supposed to be.

Three guys came in for most of the back slapping in the Spitfires' dressing room after the battle was over. First it was "Swift" Todd, followed by Harry "Charcoal" Caradonna and finally Bobbie Smith. The trio between them accounted for four of the five goals. The threesome first clicked as a unit at the three-minute mark and were back for another portion a minute later. Irwin Collings, a brother of "Mutt", dumped the rubber behind Joe Tunney for the visitors' lone scoring effort. Bobbie Smith with brother Caradonna feeding him the biscuit made it 3-1 before the close of the frame.

It wasn't until the 12-minute mark of the final session that Harry Caradonna again put the scorer to work. This time it was Todd putting the puck over to him. "Whitey" Bone fired a low shot into the Bradford cage—a specialty with our defenseman—after Stan Gibbons supplied a pass-out to put the final goal in to the records.

But let me tell you about a star for the losing side. It was none other than Freddie Dillman. In a last-minute switcheroo Pete, as everyone dubs him, donned the big pads and mitts and stepped into the Bradford twine bungalow. "Struth he was busier than an army pay master on pay day as he blocked shots from the "Spits" at every turn. The five that did rocket by him couldn't have been halted by the iron curtain.

It was a clean game—two penalties, both in the second period—halting the otherwise even tenor of the game.

AURORA INTERMEDIATES BOW TO SUTTON

Sutton intermediates downed Aurora 4-1 at Sutton on Friday night last in a well played game. Sutton had too much condition and team play for Aurora, who played an improved game over their Newmarket effort and Harold Rogers' boys indicated they would be heard from in the future. The three-goal Sutton margin is the same the Greenshirts posted against Spitfires. Icky Ross, Johnny White and Vic Meharg made their debut with the "Cowboys" and while all three were strangers to the rest of the team they worked like Trojans and delighted the Aurora management.

On Ski Trails

Hi gang. Well here we are back again after six days of the best ski training afforded anywhere in Canada. The course we took was compact as far as the six-day part of it went. From 7 every morning till 10:30 or 11 at night it was either skiing, teaching or Red Cross work. They kept us going.

Now that the course is over, the training that Francis Elphinstone and I received will be at your disposal. Every Sunday there will be classes for young and old, experienced and inexperienced skiers. This service is only for club members. The purpose of the Ski School at Collingwood was to train instructors so that a uniform system of skiing can be taught across Canada. The Ontario government paid all tuition fees at the ski school and the Newmarket Recreation Council and the Ski Club looked after the rest.

For the present all classes will be held at the foot of the "Twin Post Hill" and classes will be organized and run each Sunday by a method which will go into operation this weekend; look at the bulletin board in the club house for further particulars. Classes will also be held on Saturday so that we can teach as many as possible, the latest technique which combines speed with safety and control.

Attention everybody. Experts and beginners, every Friday night from January 14 on, there will be a column run in a city paper on skiing by the maestro of skiing himself, the one and only Clint Melville. Clint ran the Ski School in Ontario for the last three years and in this course he will be giving a general coverage of the one taught at the ski school this year, so be sure to read it.

Here's a little ditty I just hear coming from a dark, damp, dismal corner, where some "enthusiast" has gone till the ground is white again:

"Gloom, gloom, oh black despair,
Gone the snow, and warm the air,

Tears, tears, sobs and groans,
The trails are covered with broken bones."

The boys in little white coats just took him out the door all done up in the nicest little straight jacket that you ever saw.

See you this weekend on the six inches of powder snow that the weatherman promises us. Haw!

—O. W. Larsen.

Loring Doolittle, Eric Smith, Alf. Cotey and Norm. Nigh played standout hockey for Aurora. Winch in the nets, big Ellis Pringle, Holborn and Brady were the pick of the Sutton team.

DOWN THE CENTRE With AR. HULSE

Now that the balloon has come down, let's hope that Aurora Meteors who meet Orono tonight will settle down and play the hockey they are capable of, the rest of the season. Unionville juniors, who measured Aurora 9-2 on Thursday last, are as smart a club as last year's Stouffville team and are better coached, and if the Aurora lads are going to match strides with them they'll have to take heed to coach Red Mitchell's words. Side-lining one or two of the team might be a good idea until they forget their own individual ideas. Right wingers are badly needed and the return of Motts Thoms will be more than welcome. McGhee, who is in the best shape of his career, will likely be moved up front to help out. While on the subject of group possibilities don't overlook Weston juniors. They trimmed Unionville in an exhibition tilt and although the results of their games are a big secret so far, you can depend on it that they have a powerful club. Last season they were group winners but were eliminated in the first round. The Meteors have a big following and most of them will stay to the end. A little more fire, team spirit and brain work on the ice will have the fans back up on their feet again.

Congratulations are in order to Walt Davis, winger with the Meteors who wed Miss Jessica Weedon, Kettleby, recently. Meteors have the unusual picture of two benedicts on the team, since Tommy Brodie was married last year. Laurie Thoms bids fair to set some kind of record this year, if he can continue his sniping. The youngster scored four goals against Sutton and five against Orono in his two O.H.A. starts. He also fired home four against Georgetown here and two over at Georgetown, for a total of 15 in four games. As a junior, even Uncle Bill Thoms wasn't doing any better than that. It'll be interesting to see what he does in Unionville next Tuesday night against tougher opposition. While still plenty green in some respects, "Ortie" looks like a natural to make hockey a career.

Ten years ago this March-April, Aurora juniors won the Junior C championship to climax five years of effort on the part of Charlie Rowntree and Bert Tunney. The team read as follows: goal, Frank Carr; defence, Ross Polliott, Whitey Bone, Duke Dennis; forwards, "Mutt" Collings, Joint McComb, Stan Gibbons, "Shorty" Graham, Pete Donkin, Jim Cumming, Frank Michaniuk, Merv Broughton, Keith Knowles, "Red" Welsh, Wib Preston. The team eliminated Orillia, Collingwood, Barrie-Lions, Lindsay and Milton en route to the title. On March 12, Aurora defeated Lindsay and that was the last game the team played home that season. What's become of the boys? Frankie Carr is playing the second best hockey of his career with Markham Millionaires, Bone, Gibbons, Broughton and Dennis are signed with Hoffman Spitfires, Collings is with Bradford and Knowles is with Aurora. Polliott and Preston are retired, McComb with St. Louis, Donkin is in action at Varsity arena, Welsh in T.H.L. intermediates, Michaniuk is playing Legion hockey, while the grim reaper took Jim Cumming in his prime two years ago.

John Stuart is sojourning at Miami, Florida, and watching one or two of his horses in action in the south. When he returns he'll be elected to the executive of Toronto Argonauts, having broken off relations with Balmy Beach and buried the Indians franchise. Many of the Beachers will follow him to the fold of Teddy Morris. In case you didn't know it there's a scholastic ruling now for North York secondary schools. Any student missing more than two subjects remains on the sidelines for a year. All schools have been affected to date in some sport. The rule is a good one, however. Most of the better athletes in the high school loop are good students, too.

A baseball war is looming up for next season over Stouffville way. Yorky Smith, who was deposed as coach midway through last season with Earl Cook taking over, is busy laying the foundations for an intermediate club to be known as the Orioles. "Smitty" has his plans well advanced by way of both backing and players. It'll probably end up that when the balmy breezes blow there'll only be one club, with Smith in control. Right now it looks like two different factions.

John McColl, who resided in the Aurora district for many years and was officially connected with the Aurora Horse Show, has a nice entry in the 1949 King's Plate called Arch Awake. Eric Craddock, North Downs Farm, Aurora, has been elected to the executive of the Inter-Provincial Rugby Football league as the representative of Montreal Alouettes. Ronnie Rowe, former Markham junior who had a brief whirl with New York Rangers last season, is now playing with Seattle in the Pacific Coast circuit.

RICHMOND HILL TAKES TWO WINS

Richmond Hill high school basketball teams scored a double win over Aurora high on Tuesday. The Hill Seniors took a cozy 28-17 win from Aurora and were never in danger. Aurora

Juniors on the other hand were unlucky enough to lose a 17-15 game to the Hill youngsters after having the best of the play most of the game. Jack Andrews and Jim McDonald were prominent for Aurora Seniors while Jim Reycraft was the leading light for the winners.

Meteors Take Fall To Unionville 9-2

Jackie Watson and his Unionville Mutuals handed Aurora Meteors a 9-2 pasting last Thursday night, and kept atop the district junior group with an unbeaten record before close to 1,000 fans in a rugged, hard-hitting battle. Aurora was minus Laurie "Ortie" Thoms, out through migraine headaches, and Jack Atkinson, rugged defenceman, studying for an important exam.

Referee Max Reesor handed out a total of 24 penalties, with Boychoff drawing three minors and a major for extremely unethical hockey. Don "Spider" Gibson was the Aurora badman, being awarded three trips to the sin-bin and a misconduct.

Aurora scored both their counters with Unionville short-handed, while the visitors got one in the first period with Gibson off. Dougie Moore in the Aurora nets failed to turn in his usual careful performance and looked unsteady throughout. Except for the second period Aurora was badly outshot on goal by the red and white. An Aurora spectator irked by some of referee Reesor's calling took a pass at the official and was ejected from the arena by the police.

It was 3-0 for Unionville at the end of the first period, Poots, Williamson and Minton doing the honors. Morley Petch, Jack Andrews and Bud Watson all required medical treatment as a result of high sticks, and were off the ice for a good part of the period.

With Poots off, Billy Attridge banged home Simmons' pass at 55 seconds of the second period to put Aurora back in the fight. Bill Wilkinson tallied a few seconds later only to have the play called back by the referee. That was "the blow that killed father," Minton and Annesley ramming home quickies for Unionville. The best Aurora could do was one by Ron. Simmons with Unionville two short.

In the third period four counters were sunk by the visitors who never seriously threatened and kept things under control all the way. A total of 14 penalties was meted out by referee Reesor as the boys forgot hockey and evened up personal scores.

For Unionville, Polly Minton was the best man on the ice, closely followed by Poots and Bud Watson. "Tor" Hill and Morley Petch played strong games at the blue line, and since Aurora couldn't lift the puck off the ice most of the time, Normie Stunden was brilliant all the way.

Jack Andrews, Doug. Ross and Bill Wilkinson were the pick of the Aurora team. Pete Widdrington making his first appearance of the year turned in a fine chore, while Ron. Simmons played useful steady hockey.

Aurora Takes Orono In Late Lead, 9-7

For two periods, Meteors played the same brand of hockey they played against Unionville, the net result was that Aurora supporters suffered a severe case of jitters on Friday night. Orono lead 4-1 and 6-4 on their own ice in the first two periods. The third period saw Red Mitchell's hopefuls stage a garrison finish to tie the game 7-7, defenceman Johnny Atkinson sending the game into overtime at the 57:20 mark with a well timed effort.

In the extra period, Aurora held the whip-hand, Ortie Thoms scoring what proved to be the winner, and Doug. Ross getting the insurance marker. The same Master Thoms was a real thunderbolt throughout the game getting four goals, on the night, while Ross went for two. Jack Atkinson lifted the Aurora defence from the doldrums, and while regulars Ron. Simmons and Bill Attridge were out of the line-up the Meteors finished strong, and Moore after a poor start, was kicking them out from all angles.

The 70-mile jaunt was a tiresome one, and getting acclimatized to a rink about the same size as Bradford was a first period problem, Aurora didn't work out very well. For a junior "D" club, Orono, who wear double blue sweaters, have a first rate club and they present the novel picture of three brothers playing on the starting line-up. Roy, Jim and Don West all played fine games for Orono, and Roy and Don each notched a couple of tallies. Gearing in the nets, Gerry Follard, Robinson and Stevenson were others who caught the eyes of the Aurora supporters. Unionville beat Orono 5-1 in their first contest of the season.

Bill McGhee was moved up to right wing for the game and played a strong game, Tommy Brodie was back to form again and got one of the Aurora goals. Widdrington played another good game, and Firth was also in good form.

With Orono visiting Aurora tonight, manager Leonard Simmons is hopeful the Meteors have got two bad games out of their system and are headed for better things. Orono will provide real opposition however and they are said to be equally at home on bigger ice surfaces.

Aurora: goal, Moore; def., Andrews, Atkinson; c., Thoms, Iv. Gibson; rw, Brodie; subs., Ross, Wilkinson, Patrick, McGhee. Widdrington, Firth, Orono; goal, Gearing; def., Follard, and R. West; c, J. West; rw, D. West; lw, Hulton; subs., Gilmore, Chero, Robinson, Stevenson, Richardson, Creemore, Moser.

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PINE ORCHARD LOSE TO STOUFFVILLE

Coach "Mickey" Smith's Pine Orchard hockey crew dropped a tough 5-4 decision to Stouffville Tuesday evening. It was their second game in the Stouffville Bush League. The Orchard squad now have a win and a loss chalked up against them. Seven men were all Coach Smith could muster for the battle. Grant Blight handling the net-minding chore. Ken Groves and Jack Davis on the forward line made up the Newmarket contingent. Jack Davis tallied half of the goals credited to the Pine Orchard forces.

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